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Post-War Program

PRODUCTION FOR THE NAVY
BY HON. H. STRUVE HENSEL,
Assistant Secretary of the Navy

IT is hardly true now, and it has not been true for a long period in the history of warfare, that an Army travels only on its stomach. Still less is it true of the Navy. A major phenomenon of the war which we have just won is the role, far greater than in any war in history, which materiel played. The Navy traveled and fought on much more than a stomach. It fought in craft which at once were the place where it lived, a field for its aircraft, a mobile platform for its weapons, a powerful point both of and for invasion, and even, finally, a site for surrender.



H. Struve Hensel

Both in quantity and in kind, the Navy's materiel which brought us to victory, was unprecedented.

Navy materiel beggars description as it beggars visualization. Statistics tell little. But some idea of how large materiel bulked in our Naval warfare may be gained from the fact that expenditures for Navy materiel reached \$17,168 for each one of the 4,064,000 officers and men in the Navy at its top strength. From 1 July, 1940, to 30 June, 1945, the Navy expenditures in the Bureau of Ships alone totaled 29½ billion dollars, in the Bureau of Ordnance over 13 billion dollars, in the Bureau of Aeronautics 15 billion dollars, and in the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts almost 20 billion dollars. And the extraordinarily rapid expansion of procurement of materiel is evidenced by our expenditures of a little less than one billion dollars in the last half of 1940 to just under 16 billion dollars in the first half of 1945. In the single month of May, 1944, 2,900 ships and landing craft were completed under Navy orders. In March, 1944, the Navy accepted delivery of 2,800 planes—1½ times the number of planes the Navy had in service at the beginning of the Defense Program. In mid-1940, our fleet consisted of 1,100 ships, including 383 combatant ships. On the day of Japan's surrender, we had, despite all losses, no less than 52,000 ships, including 1,200 combatant ships.

But all this, which reached its climax in the "fleet which came to stay" off Okinawa, and the "Big Mo" which came to accept surrender in Tokyo Bay, was like the part of the giant iceberg which is visible at the surface of the water. Beneath lay the iceberg's base so many times greater in size—the base of planning, drafting, procurement, production, and distribution. Shifting history meant simultaneously shifting needs and emphasis; shifting needs meant simultaneously shifting production, new plans, new materials. In a sense, the history of the

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General Staff Studies
Selection of Colonels

Introduction of promotion by selection from the grade of lieutenant colonel to the grade of colonel in the Regular Army is under study by the War Department General Staff.

Under present law permanent promotions in the line of the Regular Army are made from the lineal list strictly in order of seniority and on length of service from second lieutenant up to the grade of colonel except that the number of colonels is limited. Selection is used for promotion to brigadier general, both colonels and lieutenant colonels being eligible, and for promotion from brigadier general to major general.

Under previous law the number of promotion list colonels was limited to 721, but under recently enacted law this was increased to 1070 to take care of the total increase in the strength of the Regular Army to 25,000 officers.

While it would be a simple matter for the War Department to promote the senior 349 lieutenant colonels to fill these newly authorized vacancies this has not yet been done and will not be done until the present General Staff Study is completed and approved.

If it is decided to institute selection to the grade of colonel, or a system combining selection and seniority, the War Department plans to hold up the newly authorized promotions until it can get Congress to authorize the new system.

It is understood that a definite decision is looked for by next week.

Report Surplus Airfields

Reporting on transportation facilities, the Surplus Property Administration 4 Jan. informed Congress that 44 airports and two port terminals which cost the government more than \$5 million each have been or are likely to be declared surplus.

"On the basis of current plans," the report said, "there are about 200 more airports each with a reported cost of less than \$5 million which have also been or are likely to be declared surplus."

The 44 installations costing over \$5 million are as follows:

Fairfax Field, Kansas City, Kans.; Drew Field, Tampa, Fla.; Gulfport AAF, Miss.; Newark Airport, N. J.; Trux Field, Madison, Wis.; Bunker Hill, Ind.; Cleveland Municipal Airport, Ohio; Richmond AAF, Va.; Slout Falls AAF, S. D.; Pueblo AAB, Colo.; Santa Ana AAB, Calif.; Peterson Field, Colorado Springs, Colo.; Alliance AAF, Nebr.; Amarillo AAF, Tex.; Sioux City AAB, Ia.; Harlingen AAF, Tex.; Memphis Municipal Airport, Tenn.; Greenville AAB, S. C.; Kingman AAF, Ariz.; Hutchinson, Kans.; Clinton, Okla.; Walnut Ridge, Ark.; Hendricks Field, Sebring, Fla.; Hunter Field, Savannah, Ga.; Laurinburg AAB, Maxton, N. C.; Ardmore AAF, Okla.; New Castle AAB, Wilmington, Del.; Dalhart AAF, Wagner, Tex.; La Junta AAF, Colo.; Norman, Okla.; Ephrata AAB, Wash.; Cowen Field, Boise, Idaho; Hammer Field, Fresno, Calif.; Vero Beach, Fla.; Boeing Field, Seattle, Wash.; Will Rogers Field, Okla.; Grand Island AAF, Nebr.; Hondo AAF, Hondo, Tex.; Charleston AAF, S. C.; Foster Field, Victoria, Tex.; Scribner AAF, Cooper, Nebr.; Dale Mabry Field, Fla.; Scottsbluff AAF, Nebr., and Galveston AAF, Tex.

Pay for Extra Hazards

Still undecided by the War and Navy Departments is the character of recommendations they will make to Congress concerning the extra pay to Service personnel for such duties as flying, parachute jumping, glider, and submarine service.

Other pay recommendations affecting base pay, longevity, and allowances all have been formulated on the basis of a percentage increase (said to be thirty percent). But on the extra pay problem no solution has yet been worked out. The Joint Board is working on it and the branches of the services concerned, air, paratroopers, submarine, etc., are formulating arguments and suggestions.

Those interested in the success of the pay movement feel that it is necessary that the recommendations submitted to (Please turn to Back Page)

New Board to Govern
Navy Training Policies

Establishment of a permanent training Policy Board to maintain an adequate state of training in the Navy through coordination and review of all Naval training facilities and activities was announced this week.

While the new 10-man board at present is headed by Rear Adm. W. S. Delany, USN, Officer in charge of the Operational Readiness Section, it is understood that Admiral Delany will shortly be relieved by Rear Adm. Gerald Wright.

The mission of the new Board is to insure that Naval training facilities and activities are adequate to meet the Navy's requirements for trained personnel, and that the Navy's training program is efficiently operated without duplication of effort. In addition the Board will review all requests for operating funds and public works appropriations for the Navy's various training establishments, and will periodically inspect these establishments to prevent and eliminate duplication.

Aside from the 10 permanent members, the Board will have an eleventh member representing the Coast Guard in time of war. In time of peace the Commandant of the Coast Guard will be requested to nominate an officer who may be called into consultation on matters affecting Coast Guard activities.

The Board also will call on Navy Department bureaus and offices to appoint temporary members in all cases when subjects affecting their responsibilities or interests are under consideration, or when the services of specially qualified officers are needed.

Members of the board, in addition to Rear Admiral Delany, are: Capt. A. F. France, USN, representing the Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Operations); Capt. E. R. Durgin, USN, Bureau of Naval Personnel; Capt. E. M. Senn, USN, office of Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Logistics); Capt. S. E. Latimer, USN, office of Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Personnel); Capt. C. W. Porter, USN, Bureau of Yards and Docks; Capt. J. P. Vest, USN, office of Deputy Chief of (Please turn to Next Page)

INDUSTRIAL COLLEGE OPENS
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of "Common Defense"

The sub-committee of the Senate Military Committee, charged with drawing up merger legislation, announced this week that it will suggest that the unified Department be called "The Department of Common Defense" and the Head of the Department be "Secretary of Common Defense."

Senator Thomas said emphasis will be on complete civilian control of the Department as a whole and of any subdivisions decided on.

Declaring that to frame sections covering education, research, theories in relation to common security, resources, and coordination will be a difficult matter, Senator Thomas stated that he had divided these subjects among members of the committee, reserving for himself those of education, and research.

Asked about his ideas along the line of military education, the Senator said that to continue the ROTC and NROTC would seem necessary to him, and that in addition there would need to be (1) coordination of work in the elementary training of both Army and Navy, as, for instance, one course in history looking toward preparation for common defense; (2) specialization, as at West Point and Annapolis; and (3) general education of officers at, for instance, the Army and Navy War Colleges. Asked whether his plan for education was a concession to the Navy, having been included in the Navy-suggested plan for unification, Senator Thomas said it was not and that he had not been influenced by it.

The Senator said that the bill will be more inclusive than simply to merge the Army and Navy; that he believes there should be a coordination commission with representatives of the State Department and Scientific Groups on it; and that there might well be a species of security council, similar to the Joint Chiefs of Staff, but that the latter idea is still indefinite.

Asked about a separate Air Force, Senator Thomas stated that that is one objective of the President, but that a plan for this has not been decided, intersecting the idea that "perhaps there cannot be a tight separation of the Air Corps."

Reporting that the bill is not in form, Senator Thomas stated that it could probably not be introduced for several weeks, and that further meetings of the committee will be necessary.

Cooperating with the sub-committee are Rear Adm. Arthur W. Radford, USN, and Maj. Gen. Lauris Norstad, AC.

Lower USMC Point Score

The Marine Corps will lower its release point score from 50 to 45 for both officers and men, effective 1 February 1946. The new reduction will affect about 28,000.

From V-J Day, the Marine Corps has effected the release of 192,000 personnel of all categories, or approximately 52 per cent of the reduction from its maximum strength to its planned peacetime strength. During the same period, 5,104 men were inducted under Selective Service.

Gen. MacArthur in Japan

Oklahoma City Times—"Either General MacArthur should have a free hand in Japan, or the United States should get ready to move out of that country."

Washington Times-Herald—"If MacArthur is to be further hampered in this enormous task by directives and hecklings from assorted Australians, Englishmen, Chinese, Russians, Frenchmen, Dutchmen, New Zealanders, etc., there is no telling where he will wind up."

Philadelphia Inquirer—"He should be left free to finish his task."

Columbia State—"There is no questioning the fact that General MacArthur is an accepted authority on the nature of the beast he is charged with taming, and there is certainly something in his argument that his opinions are worthy of consideration."

Oklahoma City Daily Oklahoman—"A man who has achieved remarkable success in his administration of government in Japan now becomes the subordinate of diplomats who have broken few records for efficiency on their own account."

St. Louis Star-Times—"Anything which might give the Japanese the impression that his word is not final will tend to complicate his task."

Trenton Times—"It is difficult to escape the conclusion that the position of General MacArthur as Supreme Commander in Japan has been affected injuriously by the Moscow agreement covering future control of this conquered land."

Miami Herald—"The American people will be happy over his (General MacArthur's) decision to stick to the job and 'within the authority entrusted to me to try to make it work.'"

Kansas City Times—"General MacArthur is confronted with the prospect of a certain amount of on-the-spot supervision and with a change in the origin of the orders he will receive."

Army Teaches Officers To Judge Candidates

So that there may be uniformity throughout the Service in the method of judging candidates for commissions in the Regular Army, the War Department has directed that general officers and field officers shall be specially schooled for duty as members of Interview Boards to review and evaluate the qualifications of applicants.

For this purpose an orientation course will be held at Scott Field, Ill., 14 and 15 January.

Officers from overseas theatres as well as from stations within the United States, will attend the course. Upon completion of the course they will return to their stations to interview applicants for Regular Army commissions.

Maj. Gen. Harold N. Gilbert, Director, Military Personnel Procurement Service, Adjutant General's Office, states, "The purpose of assembling officers from overseas and throughout the United States to attend this course is to assure uniformity of procedure and understanding by all members of the boards, and to obtain standardized, thorough, impartial evaluation of every applicant for commission in the Regular Army to the end that the best qualified men will be selected. It is expected that approximately 9,000 officers will be selected to bring the commissioned strength of the Regular Army to the new authorized number of 25,000 officers in the Regular Army."

"The Regular Army," General Gilbert added, "encourages the submission of applications from among physically qualified male officers of good moral character under 48 years of age, who have served as officers in the Army of the United States at any time since 7 Dec. 1941, whether they are now on active duty or have been separated from service."

The new appointments are to be made in the grades of second lieutenant, first lieutenant, captain, and major. No officer will be appointed in a grade higher than that which he held in wartime. The grade in which an officer will be commissioned will be determined by his constructive service or actual commissioned service, whichever is the greater.

Applications must reach the Adjutant General's Office, Washington 25, D. C., not later than 1 March 1946. Applications must be made in duplicate on WD AGO Form 62, "Application for Commission in the Regular Army," which can be obtained at all Army recruiting stations, Army posts, camps, and stations, or direct from the Adjutant General's Office by letter addressed "Attention: AGSO-R." An application on the specified form will be required regardless of whether or not a Statement of Interest or other form of application has been submitted previously.

Applicants stationed or residing in the continental United States will be processed at War Department personnel centers. Those outside the United States, including Alaska, will be processed at such places as may be designated by the theater commander or by the Commanding General, Alaskan Department.

Navy Training Board

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Naval Operations (Air); Lt. Col. M. J. Volcansek, USMC, Marine Corps Aviation; Capt. W. R. Headen, USN, senior recorder, and Capt. D. L. Hibbard, USNR, Director of Special Devices Division, Office of Research and Inventions.

Navy Weak, Says Adm. Nimitz

The United States Navy at the present moment, and less than five months after the defeat of Japan, has not the strength or personnel to carry out a major military operation, Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, USN, Chief of Naval Operations, declared this week.

Speaking before a meeting of the Associated Press Managing Editors in Miami, Fla., on 10 Jan., Admiral Nimitz said that the rapid rate at which the Navy's demobilization program is being carried out has left the Navy unfit to fight.

"The saving grace is," he said, "that there is nobody who threatens to fight us at the moment. It won't take long to restore the fleet. I trust it will be so ordered by the Congress, according to the plan submitted by Secretary Forrestal."

Sea Power For Peace

The new Chief of Naval Operations said that the use of sea power for purposes of international benevolence is at present an untried, yet prospectively powerful means, whereby world peace and security may be brought a little closer to the grasp of struggling, hopeful humanity.

Admiral Nimitz said that sea power helps to implement foreign policy. Our foreign policy has two aims, he said. One is the creation of and participation in an international authority capable of adjusting affairs between nations to keep the peace. The other is to safeguard the interests of the United States. Our sea power, he said, serves both the national and international policy.

"One aspect of sea power," Admiral Nimitz pointed out, "is the preservation of our maritime commerce. Mahan has well expressed the commercial requirements of any country bordering upon the sea; 'Foreign necessities or luxuries must be brought to its ports, either in its own or in foreign ships, which will return bearing in exchange the products of the country, whether they be the fruits of the earth or the works of men's hands. The first and most obvious light in which the sea presents itself from the political and social point of view is that of a great highway.'"

Story of Yamamoto

Admiral Nimitz for the first time brought to light actual correspondence which denies the reported story that the Japanese Admiral Yamamoto expressed a determination to sign the peace terms in the White House at Washington. In this connection Admiral Nimitz told the group:

"Here is what Admiral Yamamoto really said, from the records of the Japanese Navy Department lately fallen into our hands. I quote from a translation of the original document, thus:

"Should hostilities break out between Japan and the United States it will not be enough that we take the Philippines or Guam, nor even Hawaii and San Francisco. To make victory certain we will have to march into Washington and dictate the terms of peace in the White House. And I wonder if our politicians among whom armchair arguments about the war are being glibly bandied about in the name of state politics, have confidence in the final outcome and are prepared to make the necessary sacrifice."

"Now, what happened was this: One sentence was removed from the context by the military propagandists, and widely published. It is easier to do in the original Japanese. I have in Washington the testimony of one Shu-ichi Mizota of the Japanese naval secretariat, who said, and again I quote:

"Clearly this letter was intended to be nothing less than a sound rebuke to the so-called political leaders. The Admiral was simply pointing out to some of the sword-rattlers that it was by no means as simple a

matter as they seemed to think, nor so lightly to be undertaken."

"But General Tojo was in the saddle. Japan was committed to war and, of course, Yamamoto went loyally and patriotically along and did his best."

Awards and Decorations

Distinguished Service Cross
Lt. Shirley Davidson, Inf. Action at Malabon, Navotas, and Manila, Luzon, P. I.

Distinguished Service Medal
Maj. Gen. E. P. Parker, Jr., USA, 78th Infantry Div.
Commo. Frederick Mossbrugger, USN, Iwo Jima and Okinawa.

Brig. Gen. H. A. Barnes, USA, Quartermaster Corps.
Col. T. H. Nixon, USA, Ord. Off., Third Army.

Col. John G. Hill, USA, Outstanding service.

Legion of Merit

Rear Adm. J. F. Shafroth, USN (GS); Rear Adm. F. W. Pennoyer, Jr., USN; Commo. R. W. Simpson, USN; Comdr. K. A. Knowles, USN-Ret.; Capt. E. E. Yeomans, USN, Comdr. P. C. Stimson, USN; Capt. K. C. Hurd, USN; Col. C. J. Jeffus, USA; Col. R. L. Mabie, USA; Capt. F. D. Overfelt, USNR; Capt. P. E. Richter, USNR; Capt. W. E. Ferrall, USN; Capt. C. M. Simmers, USN-Ret.; Capt. W. D. Irwin, USN (GS); Capt. E. A. Solomons, USN (GS); Capt. R. F. Scott, USN (GS); Capt. E. S. Hutchinson, USN; Capt. W. D. Puleston, USN-Ret.; Comdr. M. F. R. de Arellano, USN; Capt. J. E. Reznor, USN; Capt. F. F. Sima, USN; Col. H. C. Chuck, FA; Col. M. H. Dixon, TC; Col. D. D. Duggan, AGD; Col. G. G. Eddy, Ord.; Col. D. C. Elkin, MC; Col. H. C. Gibner, MC; Col. G. C. Irwin, SC; Col. T. G. Jenkins, Inf.; Col. T. D. Joiner, AGD; Col. K. R. Kenerick, CAC; Col. F. E. Kohloss, GSC; Col. R. P. Kuhn, GSC; Col. J. F. Lieberman, MC; Col. J. W. Lyon, CWS; Col. F. A. Macon, Jr., AGD; Col. John Mather, Ord.; Col. J. Z. Miller, III, GSC; Col. F. S. Rowley, GSC; Col. A. W. Stuart, Inf.; Col. F. E. Taylor, Jr., QMC; Col. F. W. Teague, GSC; Col. R. C. Tenney, TC; Col. Shipley Thomas, MI; Lt. Col. Robert Bruce, AGD; Lt. Col. R. W. Castaney, Jr., AGD; Lt. Col. K. W. Haemer, SC; Lt. Col. E. C. Hudgins, Jr., Inf.; Lt. Col. Mason Ladd, JAGD; ChC. E. L. Loomis, (Lt. Col.); Lt. Col. P. G. Pennoyer, GSC; Lt. Col. T. H. Sternberg, MC; Lt. Col. G. H. Teasley, MC; Lt. Col. G. L. Webber, GSC; Maj. J. L. Caskey, USA; Maj. R. L. Kaye, CE; Maj. G. D. Susskind, FA; Lt. Col. E. A. Redding, Jr., SC; Lt. Col. J. M. Sills, QMC; Lt. Col. B. F. Hake, QMC; Comdr. C. J. Livingstone, QMC; Maj. H. M. Fish, QMC; Capt. H. E. Schnur, QMC; Col. R. S. Moore, GSC; Col. W. M. Dixon, FD; Col. L. N. Smith, FD; Col. R. H. Bradshaw, FD; Col. W. H. Heavey, FW; Col. D. J. Almy, FD; Maj. W. H. Read, FA; Maj. K. S. Reames, FD; Lt. Col. H. S. Patton, FD; Col. J. M. Finn, Inf.; Col. Eric Lee, CWS; Lt. Comdr. A. C. Wolf, USNR; Col. L. B. Cuyler, AAF (OLC); Maj. Gen. J. E. Fehet, USA; Brig. Gen. E. E. Glenn, USA; Col. H. A. Boushey, Jr., AAF; Col. C. B. Bubb, AAF; Col. J. N. Douglas, AAF; Col. J. C. Horton, AAF; Col. M. A. Libby, AAF; Lt. Col. J. L. Magden, AAF; Col. C. J. Mara, AAF; Col. M. L. McNickle, AAF; Col. J. H. Price, AAF; Col. Robert Proctor, AAF; Lt. Col. G. E. Brewer, AAF; Lt. Col. F. W. Brown, Jr., AAF; Lt. Col. Edward Herbes, AAF; Lt. Col. G. H. Hollingsworth, AAF; Lt. Col. J. D. Kay, AAF; Lt. Col. E. J. Lanagan, AAF; Lt. Col. A. E. Neeley, AAF; Lt. Col. H. F. Vincent, AAF; Maj. Alfred Friendly, AAF; Maj. R. P. Leslie, AAF; Maj. Davidson Sommers, AAF; Col. R. H. Booth, AAF; Col. M. L. Craig, TC; Lt. Col. R. L. Ford, TC; Capt. H. T. Deutermann, USN (GS); Col. Thornton Chase, Inf.; Maj. C. E. Porteous, Inf.; Maj. Ruth H. Briggs, WAC; Maj. Helen G. Gardner, WAC; Capt. E. E. Yeomans, USN; Comdr. M. C. Mumford, USNR.

Commendation Ribbons

Capt. H. A. Fierst, MSgt. R. J. Cox, USA; T. Sgt. Evelyn C. Jones, WAC.

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* Missing in action.

Navy Searches for Missing

Pearl Harbor, T. H.—The U. S. Navy is nearing the completion of the greatest man-hunt in history, a painstaking island-by-island search of the thousands of atolls and coral reefs of the Pacific Ocean for evidence of missing personnel of the U. S. Armed Services and Allied commands. No living missing person has thus far been found.

The search is conducted by specially trained parties, from destroyers and small amphibious craft, and includes actual physical coverage of the islands and interrogations of natives and Japanese military personnel.

Of the hundreds of larger islands covered by the special Naval parties, only five have yielded evidence of the possible presence of Allied survivors. They are:

1. Kaplingamarangi Island in the Carolines, where the graves of 11 Americans were found. Japanese and native markers indicated they were the graves of fliers killed in the crash of an Army bomber. Natives said there were no survivors of the crash.

2. Tori Shima, where the wreckage of a Navy patrol bomber was found in a crater. Natives again reported no survivors.

3. Ujelang in the Marshalls-Gilberts Area, where a skeleton, identified as not of an Asiatic type, was found near a U. S. Army pack and blanket. No other clues to identity were found.

4. Rota, where the grave of a Marine aviator was found, along with the wreckage of a plane in which another Marine flier died.

5. Chichi Jima, where the graves of four Navy fliers were found.

Bronze Star

Capt. J. A. Scott, USN (GS); Capt. L. T. Stone, USN; Capt. C. A. Peterson, USN; Capt. J. H. Willingham, Jr., USN; Comdr. L. D. McGregor, Jr., USN; Comdr. H. K. Nauman, USN; Lt. Comdr. C. R. Clark, Jr., USN; Lt. Comdr. L. V. Young, USN; Lt. R. F. Woodall, USN; Lt. (jg) F. N. Quarles, USN; Col. C. H. Calais, Inf.; ChC. F. L. Sampson (Capt.); S. Sgt. G. O. Dunn, MD; Capt. E. E. Yeomans, USN; Lt. Col. T. H. Andrews, Inf. (OLC); Capt. C. H. Alloway, Inf.; Lt. (jg) C. J. Michalski, USNR; Capt. J. R. Waterman, USN (GS); Comdr. T. S. Baskett, USN (GS); Lt. Comdr. E. L. Beach, Jr., USN (GS); Capt. E. C. Hark, USN; Capt. P. B. Tuzo, Jr., USN; Comdr. C. E. Loughlin, USN; *Lt. Comdr. C. LeR. Ragnet, USN; Lt. F. L. Rasp, USNR; Lt. (jg) O. P. LeCompte, Jr., USNR; C. A. Toennieson, CRM, USN.

Soldier's Medal

Cadet Cpl. W. S. Carpenter, Jr., USMA.

Letters of Commendation

Comdr. P. C. Stimson, USN; Capt. C. A. Johnson, USN; Capt. P. H. Ross, USN; Capt. C. C. Smith, USN; Comdr. R. P. Nicholson, USN; Lt. Comdr. G. M. Reeves, USN; Lt. Comdr. J. H. Smith, USN; Lt. J. P. Doherty, USN; Lt. (jg) E. M. Schmidt, USN; W. E. Donnell, CphM, USN; A. E. Hall, Cox, USNR; L. E. Rader, CMM, USN; E. E. Smith, CEM, USN; Col. T. J. Dayharsh, (NC), USA; Col. W. E. Read, (NC) USA; Comdr. J. C. Nichols, USN; Lt. Comdr. W. A. Whitman, USN; Lt. (jg) R. A. Loveland, USNR; Ens. A. W. Gutzmer, USN; M. W. Barker, CRM, USN; S. A. Lokey, Jr., EM, 1c, USNR; W. J. Ronneke, CEM, USN; M. W. Ruediger, TMM, 1c, USN; J. L. Larsen, MMM, 1c, USNR; Lt. O. C. Bosbyshell, Jr., USNR.

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Army Industrial College

The Navy Department supports joint procurement between the two services in all cases where it is more economical and simple. Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, USN, Chief of Naval Operations, told the Army Industrial College on 7 January.

The Chief of Operations pointed out that labor-management, knowledge of markets, use and development of tools, procurement of proper materials, scientific research were but a few phases of industrial effort which must be considered in providing the Navy's ships and aircraft with the required standard of excellence. The importance of maintaining our industrial production potential is paramount, he said, and added that, in fact, it is absolute.

Admiral Nimitz said:

"The word 'Industrial' in the title of the Army Industrial College has many implications and meanings. It is impossible to explore them in detail here. But, taken collectively, it means the living heart of our entire system of material livelihood. As applied to the Navy, it is a fundamental factor of the Navy's existence. Of the basic elements which comprise the Operating Forces of our Navy (namely, ships, planes, bases, supplies and personnel), the first four are the direct result of 'industrial effort.' The degree to which this 'industrial effort' is efficiently and properly carried on determines the qualitative and the quantitative degree of perfection of our fighting instruments. Labor management, knowledge of markets, use and development of tools, procurement of proper materials, scientific research—these are but a few phases of industrial effort which must be considered in providing the Navy's ships and aircraft with the required standard of excellence. The importance of maintaining our industrial production potential is paramount—in fact, it is absolute.

"Grand strategy and joint action in military matters is the province of the Army and Navy Staff College. The field embraced by the Industrial College, in its studies of the industrial and economic structure for war, is at the same level of importance. Its plans must support the concepts evolved by the Staff College. Its conclusions will have a controlling effect on strategy. Obviously the two institutions should work in closest harmony. Strategic and industrial mobilization plans are distinct, but must be closely integrated.

"I understand that this Industrial College class is composed largely of senior officers with war-time experience in procurement, or in mobilization of industry for war. You will examine war-time procedures and practices. You will make recommendations for their improvement in future plans. You will have an opportunity to study such subjects as the organization of war agencies, the control of manpower and production, procurement and purchase policies, and the industrial war potential of foreign countries. Needless to say, the Navy Department supports joint and common procurement in all cases where it is more economical and simple.

"Your studies of planning for industrial mobilization and procurement are vital to our National Security. Without industrial preparedness our military preparedness will be inadequate; without military preparedness our foreign policy cannot be supported."

Commandant of the college is Brig. Gen. Donald Armstrong, USA.

The following student officers are attending the Interim Course in Industrial Mobilization at the Army Industrial College, 4 Jan. 1946 to 28 June 1946:

Col. Jack E. Babcock, CWS.
Col. Raymond M. Barton, QMC.
Capt. Thomas J. Bay, USN.
Col. Archie S. Buyers, Ord.
Col. Robert T. Chaplin, CAC.
Capt. George F. Chapline, USNR.
Capt. Clyde W. Coryell, USN.
Capt. Murphy K. Cureton, USN.
Capt. Marey M. Dupre, jr., USN.
Col. Harold Engender, Cav.
Col. John H. Featherston.
Col. Edward C. Franklin, Ord.
Capt. Frederick R. Furth, USN.
Col. Arnold C. Gilliam, QMC.
Capt. Noah W. Gokey, USN.
Col. Fielder P. Greer, Inf.
Col. Harold P. Hennessy, CAC.
Col. John L. Hornor, jr., QMC.
Col. James H. Howe, Inf.
Col. Joseph J. Imhoff, IGD.
Capt. Cornelius V. S. Knox, USN.
Col. Albert L. Lane, CE.
Col. Jay B. Loveless, Inf.
Col. Thomas F. McCarthy, GSC.
Col. William L. McCulla, Ord.
Col. Thomas McGregor, (FA) GSC.
Col. Robert D. McLeod, jr., CWS.
Col. Andrew Meulenber, AC.
Col. Arthur E. Mickelsen, Sig C.
Col. Paul B. Nelson, CAC.
Col. Samuel Roth, Inf.
Col. Jay D. Rutledge, jr., AC.
Col. David F. Shaw, CE.
Col. Paul W. Steinbeck, FA.
Col. James H. Strother, USMC.
Col. Carl F. Tschabeln, (CAC) GSC.
Capt. Rutledge B. Tompkins, USN.

Col. John S. Walker, Ord.
Col. John Van O. Weaver, AC.
Capt. Joseph M. P. Wright, USN.
Comdr. William W. Agnew, jr., USN-Ret.
Comdr. Harold R. Badger, USNR.
Lt. Col. William H. Bassett, jr., Ord.
Lt. Col. Edwin G. Beggs, QMC.
Lt. Col. Elias J. Bennett, jr., AC.
Lt. Col. Robert S. Bower, (AC) IGD.
Lt. Col. Clyde E. Brooks, AC.
Lt. Col. Edmund P. Flynn, Sig C.
Comdr. Ormond Freile, USN.
Lt. Col. William H. Gaeckle, Sig C.
Lt. Col. Walter R. Godard, AC.
Lt. Col. Dugald C. Jackson, jr., Ord.
Lt. Col. Walter D. Koch, Ord.
Comdr. Charles L. Labonte, USNR.
Lt. Col. Donald A. McPherson, Inf.
Lt. Col. John T. Malloy, Inf.
Lt. Col. Charles M. Merriman, CE.
Lt. Col. Harold M. Moran, AC.
Comdr. William M. Porter, USN.
Lt. Col. Talmadge DeW. Reed, AC.
Lt. Col. Harry A. Sachaklian, AC.
Comdr. William A. Saunders, USNR.
Lt. Col. Martin B. Schwab, TC.
Lt. Col. William R. Stark, AC.
Lt. Col. Sidney N. Storbraaten, Sig C.
Lt. Col. L. S. Taylor, AC.
Lt. Col. Frederic C. Whiting, AC.
Major Donald M. Bachelor, Ord.
Major Harold B. Benedict, Ord.
Major Samuel M. Clawson, Sig C.
Major Emil W. Delu, Ord.
Major William A. Eadie, jr., Ord.
Major Allan P. Fulton, TC.
Lt. Comdr. Leonard G. Honey, USNR.
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Major Carroll B. McMath, jr., Inf.
Major Brian O. Montgomery, Ord.
Major Roman I. Ulan, Sig C.
Major Ralph R. Upton, QMC.
Capt. Guy K. Gregg, QMC.
Lieut. John E. Kahellin, USNR.
Capt. Henry H. Sherborne, AC.
Lieut. Gordon N. Snell, USNR.
Capt. George D. Styer, Cav.

Study Joint Operations

A study of joint Army and Navy operations of World War II with a view of formulating recommendations for changes in existing procedures in the light of combat experience and of current developments in modern weapons was begun this week by a board of 50 officers representing the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps.

The board known as the Joint Operations Review Board is meeting in the Army and Navy Staff College in the New War Department Building and when it has completed its studies the conclusions and recommendations will be submitted to the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

The officers have been specially selected for this work because of their World War II experience in joint operations in the Mediterranean, European, Southwest Pacific and Pacific Ocean Theaters. This experience, supplemented by a special one-month orientation course at the College on the overall strategy of the war and the procedures employed in joint operations, will form the background for a critical review of methods used during the war.

Vice Adm. Harry W. Hill, USN, is Commandant of the Army and Navy Staff College, and Maj. Gen. Alfred M. Gruenther, USA, is Deputy Commandant.

Following is a list of the officers who have been assigned to the board in addition to Admiral Hill and General Gruenther:

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Brig. Gen. Charles L. Booth, Brig. Gen. Maurice M. Beach, Brig. Gen. Clyde D. Eddleman, Brig. Gen. William E. Crist, Brig. Gen. Bertram F. Hayford, Brig. Gen. Joseph J. Twitty, Brig. Gen. A. F. Kibler, USA.
Col. Eugene M. Caffey, CE; Col. Herbert W. Ehrigott, CE; Col. Thomas J. Ford, Inf; Col. Bjorne Furuholmen, FA; Col. Wesley T. Guest, SC; Col. Orrin C. Krueger, GSC; Col. Thomas A. Lane, CE; Col. Charles K. Moore, AC; Col. Virgil F. Shaw, Cav; Col. Orlando C. Troxel, FA; Col. John E. Watters, SC; Col. Frederic B. Westervelt, MC; Col. Hietie S. Williams, jr., AC; Lt. Col. Henry M. Black, CE; Lt. Col. Sanford W. Horstmann, FA; Lt. Col. Leonard Kaplan, FA; Col. R. J. Werner, GSC; Lt. Col. Jack D. Nicholas, AC; Col. James T. Posey, AC; Col. Robert B. Landry, AC; Col. Karl L. Polifka, AC; Col. Oliver W. van den Berg, CE.
U. S. Navy
Capt. Abraham Lincoln Baird, Capt. Argyle Edwin Buckley, Capt. Henry Effingham Eccles, Capt. Ralph Baile Hunt, Capt. John Henry Leppert, Capt. S. S. Miller, Capt. R. A. J. English, Comdr. L. M. Davis, Comdr. Frank Arthur Dingfelder, Comdr. Charles Edward Houston, Comdr. John Mitchell Phelps, Comdr. Richard Clarke Steere, Lt. Comdr. Lewis Archer McMurran.
U. S. Marine Corps
Col. Vernon E. Mege, Lt. Col. Robert G. Ballance, Lt. Col. Carl A. Laster, Lt. Col. John A. Saxten, Lt. Col. Cecil W. Shuler, Lt. Col. Donald M. Weller.

Demobilization

Many appeals have been made to the President for the release from the armed forces of various groups. In response to these appeals the President has issued the following statement:

"There is, naturally, great discussion both in public and in private as to when the members of our individual families in military service will return home. There are some who feel that all fathers should be released at once. The parents of young men whose education has been interrupted feel that they should be given an immediate opportunity to resume their studies. Others feel equally strongly that first consideration should be given to men who are needed in certain occupations at home.

"The armed forces have been reduced as fast as possible. For many reasons it is impossible for every member of the armed forces to be discharged promptly.

"First, there is the enormous size of the task involved.

"Second, there is the fact that our Nation must assume its full share of responsibility for keeping the peace and destroying the war-making potential of the hostile nations that were bent on keeping the world in a state of warfare.

"Already the critical need for troops overseas has begun to slow down the Army's rate of demobilization. This is not an arbitrary action on the part of the Army. It is an inescapable need of the nation in carrying out its obligation in this difficult and critical postwar period in which we must devote all necessary strength to building a firm foundation for the future peace of the world. The future of our country now is as much at stake as it was in the days of the war.

"To satisfy myself that demobilization is being carried out with all possible speed, I have reviewed once more the Army and Navy procedures. I am convinced, as every other American who examines the record must be, that the services are carrying out demobilization with commendable efficiency and with justice to all concerned.

"The task has been enormous. The Army has now released well over half the 8,300,000 in service when the European fighting stopped. More than four and three-quarter million men and women have passed through the separation centers.

"The Navy has pursued an equally vigorous policy in speeding the separation of its men and women. Out of a peak strength of 3,500,000, the Navy has already returned close to a million and a quarter to civilian life. From the Marine Corps, which totaled nearly 486,000, more than 183,000 have been discharged. The Coast Guard, with 180,000 men, has demobilized over 74,000.

"These numbers are staggering when you consider what they mean in ships, in extensive staffs required to carry out processing before discharge, and in rail transport sufficient to carry these soldiers, sailors and marines to their homes once they reach our ports. The wonder is not that some of our soldiers, sailors and marines are not yet home but that so many are already back at their own firesides.

"There are, it is true, parents who are still waiting for the return of their sons. There are young men in service who are anxious for the chance to find jobs and establish homes. There are others eager to continue their education. There are wives and children impatiently awaiting the return of their husbands and fathers. To prefer the members of any single group, however appealing their claim, would be to ignore our obligation to give first consideration to the individuals who have made the heaviest sacrifices."

The President has received the following memorandum from the Chief of Staff, General Dwight D. Eisenhower, on the subject of soldier demonstrations in Manila:

"It is my understanding that you have requested information concerning the soldier demonstrations in Manila, 6-7 Jan. 1946, which have recently been reported by the press. In order that you may have an accurate picture of what has taken place, I have obtained a report from Lieutenant General Styer, Commanding General, Army Forces,

Did You Read—

the following important service stories last week:

Reorganization of Bureau of Medicine and Surgery?

Lt. Gen. Hoyt S. Vandenberg heads program of instruction for National Guard aviation?

Device for ribbon denotes Bronze Star Medals awarded for valor?

Board recommends change in method of USMA cadet selection?

Legislation to be introduced providing for permanent Navy Chief of Chaplains with rank of rear admiral?

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Western Pacific in direct command of the Philippines, which is summarized for your information.

"On the 6th and 7th of January a series of demonstrations were held in the Manila area. The only one of these of any magnitude was a mass meeting of from 8,000 to 10,000 soldiers held at the City Hall. Here the soldiers voiced dissatisfaction with recent conflicting statements by War Department officials, and urged that pressure be brought to bear on families and congressmen in the United States to reduce overseas forces to those required for occupation of Japan and Germany and disposal of property. General Styer broadcast an address to all the troops of the area including those assembled at the City Hall.

"In his address General Styer explained that in four months the Army has demobilized two-thirds of his command which it took two years and six months to build. For the entire Pacific Area it has been found necessary to deploy an Army of 375,000 Army troops, including Air Forces, to perform our occupational and post-war garrison duties, as of 1 July 1946. Our forces cannot be permitted to demobilize at such a rate that the flow of replacements from the recruiting program and selective service cannot maintain that minimum strength. Further, supplies assembled in the far flung bases must be protected to prevent wastage, deterioration and theft.

"General Styer reported by radio to General MacArthur that no mass disciplinary action has been initiated by responsible commanders because there have been no acts of violence or disorder. General MacArthur replied giving his approval to the method of action proposed by General Styer and stated that the discontent has been 'primarily caused by acute homesickness aggravated by the termination of hostilities. These men are good men who have performed magnificently under campaign conditions and inherently are not challenging discipline or authority.'

Demobilization Protests

Growing out of the protests of army personnel who are demanding that promises made to them be kept by their being returned from overseas and separated from the service, Senator Thomas, Utah, chairman of the Senate Military Affairs Committee, has responded to the protests and to a letter from Senator Johnson, Colo., a member of the committee, by appointing a subcommittee consisting of Senators Johnson, Colo., Briggs, Mo., and Revercomb, West Va., to investigate demobilization.

Navy Air Support Plan

The Navy's air support concept developed in the war against Japan will be retained as a permanent feature of Atlantic and Pacific Fleet amphibious forces and joint Army-Navy operations.

As developed by the Navy, air support calls for the use of carrier planes to support assault troops in landings on enemy-held territory. Such employment of carriers was relatively in its infancy in the North African operation and at Tarawa. As subsequently developed in the Pacific, Air Support Control Units—ASCU—assumed responsibility for the following:

- (1) Close air support of troops.
- (2) Fighter protection of amphibious forces (combat air patrols).
- (3) Air-sea rescue in vicinity of the objective.
- (4) Anti-submarine patrol by aircraft at objective.
- (5) Air searches in vicinity of objective.

Navy Refresher Courses

American naval officers repatriated from enemy prison camps, are soon to be brought up to date on all the scientific advances of modern warfare by a series of intensive refresher courses, lasting from two weeks to two months.

Organized by the Bureau of Naval Personnel the program includes a special three-week course at the Naval Damage Control Training Center, Philadelphia, a two-week special familiarization course in modern ordnance at the Gunners Officers Ordnance School, Washington, D. C., and a two weeks radar refresher course at the Naval Radar Training School, St. Simons Island, Ga.

Approximately 20,000 civilians in the U. S. Zone in Germany are given physical examinations and 100,000 more are weighed each month as a means of determining the health curve of the population in the American occupied areas.

16-Year Retirements

The War Department's recommendations as to the extension of the Navy's 16-year enlisted retirement bill to include the Army will be sent to the Senate Committee on Military Affairs next week, members were told this week.

When the Navy's bill passed the House Senator Sparkman amended it to include the Army in its 16-year retirement privileges and its better pay for 20-year retirements. The bill then went back to the Senate where Senator Walsh, chairman of the Naval Committee, consulted with Senator Thomas, chairman of the Military committee, as to the desirability of including the Army. Senator Thomas in turn asked the War Department for a report.

There is a general belief that if the War Department approves, the Senate will accept the amendment, thus giving the Army, as well as the Navy, considerably improved retirement prospects for enlisted men. On the other hand, if the amendment is rejected and the bill passes applying only to the Navy, President Truman probably will veto it on the basis of his announced belief that personnel policies of the services should be parallel.

3rd Service Command

Maj. Gen. Manton S. Eddy, who distinguished himself in North Africa, Sicily and France as 9th Division and XII Corps commander has been appointed new commanding general of the Third Service Command, to succeed Maj. Gen. Philip Hayes, who is retiring to private business in Baltimore, headquarters of the Command.

General Eddy assumed command on 3 Jan., came to Baltimore in December, 1943 to succeed Maj. Gen. Milton A. Reckord, when the latter was selected by General Marshall as provost marshal general of the European Theater of Operations.

Delegation to the State Department by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation of authority to dispose of surplus U. S. aircraft to foreign governments, organizations and individuals has been approved.

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These engraved commissions will be issued to Regular Army officers after termination of temporary appointment in the Army of the United States; to other officers after relief from active duty, and to former officers as soon after 1 July, 1946, as practicable.

It will not be necessary to apply to The Adjutant General for an engraved commission as they will be issued automatically. Owing to the large number involved the distribution of all these engraved commissions is not expected to be completed before 1 March, 1947, at the earliest. Individual officers and other interested persons are therefore requested to refrain from making inquiry as to when their commission may be expected. Such inquiries, it was pointed out by the Adjutant General's Office, will serve only to delay the issuance of the engraved commissions.

Owing to the pressure of war activities and the then existent manpower shortage, the War Department on 16 Feb. 1942 suspended the issuance of engraved commissions to officers except those appointed general officers and to those appointed and promoted in the Regular Army.

Army Promotion Status

Promotions and Vacancies on the Promotion List (Cumulative) and Promotions on the Non-Promotion List since 28 December 1945

Promotion List

Last promotion to the grade of col.—Shuey E. Wolfe, CAC No. 120; Vacancies—Eight; Senior Lt. Col.—Joseph L. Phillips, CAV No. 121.

Last promotion to the grade of Lt. Col.—James H. Dieckle, FD No. 78.

Last promotion to the grade of maj.—Paul E. MacLaughlin, INF No. 197.

Last promotion to the grade of capt.—Harrison S. Markham, CWS No. 288.

Last promotion to the grade of 1st Lt.—Grant Renne, jr., CAC, No. 899.

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Capt. to Maj.

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Gen. Eichelberger Deputy C of S

With the return to the United States of Lt. Gen. Robert L. Eichelberger, USA, there were strong rumors in Washington this week that he has been selected as Deputy Chief of Staff under General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower, USA.

Selection of General Eichelberger, who led the Eighth Army throughout the War and wound up in occupation of Japan, would be logical in that it gives General Eisenhower the benefit of an officer with wide experience in the Pacific.

Reduction of Generals

Congressional sources revealed this week that a total of 150 officers of the Army have been reduced in grade since the close of the war. The War Department, at whose request Congress enacted a law permitting the administrative reduction of temporary general officers, declines to make public the names or reveal the number of officers to be reduced.

If the Congressional figures are correct this means that about one in 10 of the temporary general officers have been reduced to lower grades.

Civilian Aide to Sec. War

Marcus H. Ray, Chicago, formerly commanding officer of an artillery battalion of the 92nd Infantry ("Buffalo") Division, has been appointed Civilian Aide to the Secretary of War as an adviser on negro relations.

The new Civilian Aide commanded the 600th Field Artillery Battalion of the 92nd Division from March, 1944, until its inactivation in October, 1945. He arrived in Italy with his unit in October, 1944. His services in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations won him the Legion of Merit, Bronze Star Medal, and the Italian honor, Cross of Merit of War.

Gen. Arnold Decorated

In recognition of his organization and leadership of the Army Air Forces, General of the Army H. H. Arnold was this week awarded two Oak Leaf Clusters to his Distinguished Service Medal. The awards were made by President Truman with the accolade that "he fulfilled his mission in a manner that overwhelmed this nation's enemies and aided its allies."

The presentation was made in the East Room of the White House on 8 Jan., in the presence of the heads of the service branches, Cabinet officers and several hundred of the General's comrades in arms. The Chief Executive speaking of General Arnold declared that he was a shining example of what this great nation could do under superior leadership.

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Tribute to Army Nurses

The valiant and glorious deeds performed by the nurses in all corners of the globe in World War II have been an inspiring example that has spurred to greater efforts all those who served with them, Maj. Gen. Norman T. Kirk, Surgeon General of the Army, declared this week.

Speaking before the Nurses National Memorial Committee and Sponsors at a luncheon meeting in Washington, D. C., on 10 Jan., General Kirk said that the proposed program to establish a Nurses National Memorial will have the wholehearted and unqualified support of everyone who knows of the sacrifices and the devotion to duty of these valiant soldiers of mercy.

AAF Demobilization

Demobilization of the Army Air Forces is being accomplished on schedule and as far as possible without jeopardizing the occupation forces, Maj. Gen. Fred L. Anderson stated in a radio talk on the ABC Network Wednesday night, 9 Jan. 1946.

Gen. Eisenhower in Canada

General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower, Chief of Staff, arrived in Ottawa 9 Jan. for a four-day visit to Canada. On arrival General and Mrs. Eisenhower were the guests of the Governor-General. Met by Prime Minister King and United States Ambassador Atherton, General Eisenhower reviewed a guard of honor and was introduced to members of the Cabinet.

While in Ottawa General Eisenhower will confer with Defense Ministry officials and Chiefs of Staff. Before leaving Canada he is scheduled to go to Toronto, where he will be awarded an honorary degree from the University of Toronto.

Gen. Simmons to Harvard

Brig. Gen. James Stevens Simmons, USA, Chief, Preventive Medicine Service, Office of the Surgeon General, has been appointed Dean of the Harvard University School of Public Health.

In a reorganization intended to make this one of the outstanding research and teaching institutions in the world, the School of Public Health will have equal status in the University with the Harvard Medical School and other professional divisions.

Gen. McAuliffe Commands Bragg

Fort Bragg, N. C.—Maj. Gen. Anthony C. McAuliffe has assumed duties as Commanding General of Fort Bragg, succeeding Brig. Gen. Theodore L. Futch. Previously General McAuliffe was in command of the Airborne Center which moved here from Camp Mackall, N. C., early last December.

General Futch will remain at Fort Bragg where he has been assigned to Headquarters First Army as Chief of ROTC Affairs for Headquarters First Army.

Retired Officers' Assoc.

The following retired officers have joined this Association during the month of December, 1945:

Col. Gennard A. Greaves, USA; Col. F. K. Chapin, USA; Lt. Col. James K. Campbell, USA; Maj. John C. Shaw, USA; CWO Guy F. Tabor, (QM) USMC; Col. Samuel G. Frieron, USA; Maj. Charles W. Schnabel, USA; Lt. Lynn J. Cramer, USMC; Col. William A. Eddy, USMC; Col. Floyd W. Bennett, USMC; Capt. Max B. Demott, USN; Ens. Adam Mitchell Drobeck, USN; Lt. Collins Rowe Buchner, USN; Capt. Edward F. Palmer, USCG; Col. Arthur E. Brown, USA.

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Pearl Harbor Inquiry BY MARK S. WATSON

After a week's recess, taken to permit its new counsel, Seth W. Richardson (Assistant Attorney General in the Hoover administration) to gain some familiarity with his new task, the joint committee of Congress investigating the Pearl Harbor disaster will resume its hearings next Monday when Congress itself returns from the holiday recess. The first witness is expected to be Rear Admiral Kimmel, to be followed by Major General Short, navy and army commanders, respectively, at Pearl Harbor in 1941.

It will be their first opportunity to present publicly their rejoinders to charges made and remade—and sometimes very loosely—over a period of four years, and there is no doubt that it is an opportunity which both of them will welcome. In the services themselves there is some uncertainty over the character and extent of responsibility involved in each of these 1941 commands, and over the significance of orders given them as well as standard procedures which necessarily guided them and were expected to guide them. It is not surprising that the public is much less informed. A large benefit of these hearings is to spread, in and out of the services, a far better understanding of the background for 7 Dec. 1941.

The closing testimony of Admiral Stark, just before the recess, brought to public attention the report made by the late Secretary Knox to the President and its emphasis on the fact that Admiral Kimmel's watchfulness had been chiefly against submarine attack, and General Short's against sabotage, with neither of them alert against the air attack which came to pass. But the report also noted that through Washington's failure to evaluate promptly the significance of the "14-part instructions" from Tokyo to the Japanese ambassador at Washington, and the tragic delay of the Marshall-Short message which told of the M-day and H-hour, neither Admiral Kimmel nor General Short was granted the invaluable aid which that information would have provided.

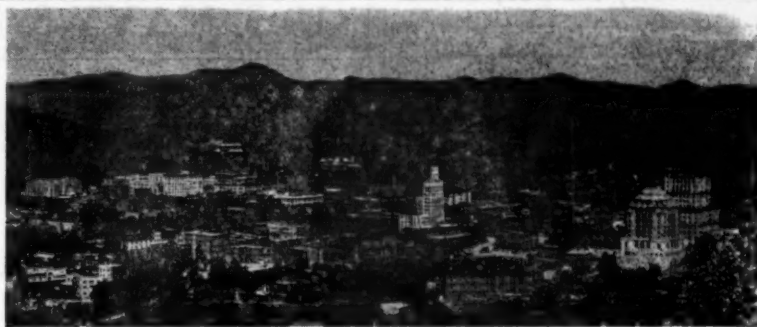
Admiral Stark quieted committee per-

turbations over the "discovery" that in advance of Pearl Harbor there had been navy orders to shoot at Axis submarines threatening our vessels. He reminded his questioner that this order had been well known at the time and that, in fact, the sinking of the U.S.S. Reuben James had taken place before the declaration of war, completely as that event has been forgotten by large segments of the public. Also he reminded his hearers that as a part of these 1941 sea operations our ships had at times operated under British or Canadian command, and vice versa. His testimony on these matters gave special point to his grim remark, long before Pearl Harbor, that "whether the public knows it or not, we already are at war."

That these orders and actions against German submarines constituted an overt act against Japan, however, he denied. He held to that view with urbanity but complete firmness. In spite of angry questioning by one of the minority committee-men who apparently was seeking to establish somehow that America rather than Japan had started the war. One curious report remains unexplained; this is the widely circulated magazine account by an aviator in Admiral Halsey's task force of late November, 1941; the author declares he was then under "war orders" to attack any submarine or surface vessel encountered. Admiral Stark knew of no such orders, but refused stoutly to criticize their issuance until he knew what had influenced Admiral Halsey to issue them, if he did.

Equally awaited is further evidence of a report that Capt. E. M. Zacharias, later in Naval Intelligence, offered to Admiral Kimmel long before 7 Dec. a conviction that when war came it would be initiated by the Japanese with an air raid on Pearl Harbor; it would come on a weekend, probably on a Sunday morning, and immediately after a certain event in the Japanese embassy in Washington—an event which actually took place on 2 Dec. This was a most inspired reading of the crystal ball, and it is easy to understand why Captain Zacharias was later assigned to O.N.I.

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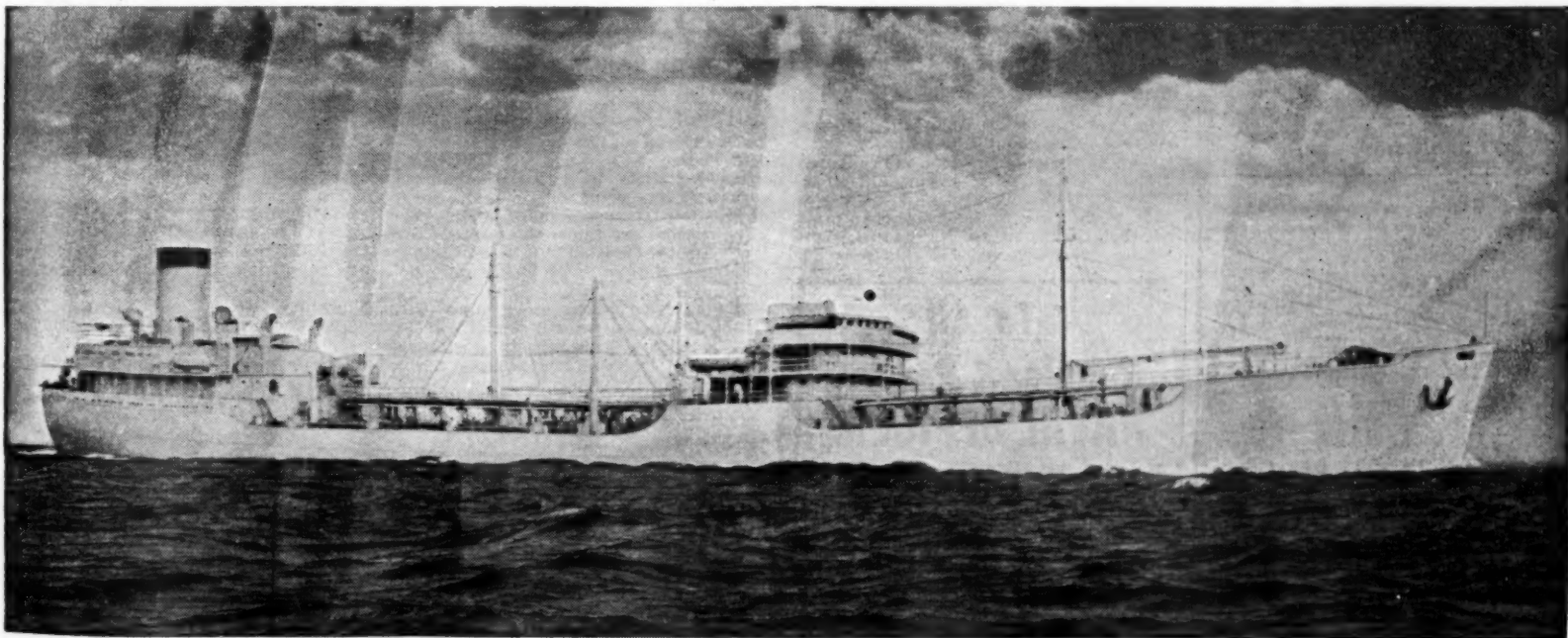
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Rear Adm. Laurence B. Richardson.

Navy Nurse Corps

Comdr. Anna G. Keating, (NC) USN, leaves her duties as Senior Nurse in the 14th Naval District to go to the U. S. Naval Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.

Lt. Comdr. Edith Lee Stauffer, (NC) USN, goes to the U. S. Naval Hospital, Great Lakes, Ill., from the Naval Hospital at Pleasanton, Calif., where she carried the duties of Chief Nurse.

Lt. Comdr. Beulah Duxbury, (NC) USN will report for duty at the U. S. Naval Hospital, Oakland, Calif., leaving the Naval Hospital at St. Albans, L. I., N. Y.

Lt. Comdr. Marion Ruth Dillon, (NC) USN, leaves the Naval Hospital at Oakland, Calif., to report to the U. S. Naval Hospital, St. Albans, L. I., N. Y.

Lt. Lenora Gertrude Olson, (NC) USN, returns from duty at U. S. Naval Base Hospital #8 in the Hawaiian Islands to report for duty at the U. S. Naval Hospital, Pleasanton, Calif.

3rd Marines Deactivated

Pearl Harbor, T. H. — The deactivation of the Third Marine Division, which fought through three Pacific campaigns during its three years of existence, was announced here with the departure by plane from Guam of its commanding general, Brig. Gen. William E. Riley, who has been ordered back to the United States.

Disbandment of the Third Division, although anticipated, came suddenly. Earlier 2,500 low-point troops left for China, where they will replace occupation troops. Another 1,200 high-point men are scheduled to board the aircraft carrier USS Bunker Hill for return home.

Navy Aide Joins Publishers

Eugene Duffield, special assistant to Secretary of the Navy Forrestal, has been named editorial assistant to the president of McGraw-Hill Publishing Co.

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**U. S. NAVY & MARINE CORPS****Navy Point Scores Cut**

Critical scores required up to and including 2 March for the release or discharge of Naval personnel under the Navy's demobilization program were announced this week by Vice Adm. Louis E. Denfeld, USN, Chief of Naval Personnel, as follows:

	15 Jan.	2 Feb.	15 Feb.	2 Mar.
Male commissioned and warrant officers	42	41	40	39
Male enlisted	35	34	33	32
Female officers	29	28	28	27
Female enlisted	23	22	22	21
Navy Nurse Corps	29	28	28	27
Exceptions:				
Male doctors	51	50	50	49
Naval aviators in flight status above rank of ensign	29	28	27	26
Naval aviators in flight status, rank of ensign	20	20	20	20
Yeomen, Storekeepers except SK (CB), Stevedore, Specialists (C) Classification, Specialists (I) Punch Card Accounting Machine Operators, Specialists (X) Transportation, Hospital Corpsmen with specialty in occupational or physical therapy who are assigned to duty in continental U. S. Naval Hospitals or U. S. Naval Special Hospitals				
(male)	44	41	41	40
(female)	29	26	26	25
Mailmen (male)	44	36	34	32
(female)	29	26	24	21
Male Electrician's Mates, except EM (CB)	36	36	36	35
Watertenders except WT (CB), Machinist's Mates except MM (CB) and MMG, Chief Commissary Stewards, Ship's Cooks and Bakers	38	38	38	37
Storekeepers (CB), Stevedore, Watertenders (CB), Machinist's Mates (CB), Electrician's Mates (CB)	35	34	33	32
Specialists (S) Shore Patrol, Specialists (X) Key Punch Operators (male)	38	34	33	32
(female)	23	22	22	21
Machinist's Mates (Industrial Gas Generating Mechanic)	38	38	33	32

Flight Training for Marines

Qualified enlisted men on active duty in the Marine Corps and Marine Corps Reserve are being given the opportunity to apply for assignment to the Naval Aviation Preparatory Program authorized to convene on or about 1 March.

This is the only program under which Marine Corps enlisted personnel may currently apply for flight training.

It is the present intention that prior to their transfer to Navy Pre-Flight schools, men selected for this program

will be assigned to college training about 1 March for one to four academic terms, depending upon previous college training, if any.

Each man selected for the Naval Aviation Preparatory Program will be discharged from the Marine Corps and enlisted in the Naval Reserve as an apprentice seaman. Such status will be retained until his transfer to the grade of aviation cadet upon his reporting to a Navy Pre-Flight school. Upon completion of training, aviation cadets with previous Marine Corps service will be given preference in being selected to serve as naval aviators in the Marine Corps if they so desire.

The applicant must be a high school graduate or have been accepted for or in attendance at an accredited college or university, and must have passed the General Classification Test with a score of 110 or higher.

Further academic qualifications as well as physical and aptitude requirements are listed in detail in Letter of Instruction No. 2000.

Navy Nurse Promotions

President Truman 1 Jan. appointed the following officers of the Navy Nurse Corps, Regular and Reserve, to the next higher rank for temporary service to rank from 1 Jan.:

Ensigns who reported for continuous active duty as ensigns 16 April 1944, to 30 April 1944, inclusive.

Lieutenants (junior grade) who reported for continuous active duty as ensigns 16 March 1943, to 31 March 1943, inclusive.

All of the promotions were subject to the usual conditions and exceptions.

Navy Dental Division

The Bureau of Medicine and Surgery of the Navy Department has sent to Secretary Forrestal a request for the establishment of a Board to carry forward the provisions of the recently enacted bill to provide autonomy within the Bureau for Dental Officer personnel.

Although the Department would not disclose the names of personnel chosen to act on the Board, it is understood that as soon as the Secretary has approved the recommendations work will be started on the setting up of rules and regulations under Public Law 284 signed by the President 28 Dec.

The Dental Corps will be reorganized so as to make it an independent branch of the Department manned and supervised by dentists. Under the terms of the law a Dental Division will be set up in a revamped Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.

The Division among other things will establish its own standards and policies with respect to inspections and surveys. It will initiate and recommend action pertaining to complements, appointments, advancement, training assignment and transfer of dental personnel. A dental



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corps officer will be chosen to head the new division, who will receive the pay and rank of a rear admiral. This officer will be in command and the senior dental officers on ships and at shore stations will be responsible to him.

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Lt. Comdr. H. C. Pound	Lt. (jg) R. A. Snodgrass
Lt. J. J. Nix	Mach. E. J. Vlahnesky
Lt. R. W. Meyers	Pay Clk. A. J. Randall
Lt. (jg) J. W. Hays	Acting Pay Clk. H. A. Walstrom
Lt. R. W. Germany, jr.	Lt. (jg) G. R. Rings
Lt. (jg) G. H. Moscley, (MC)	Ens. J. H. Whitehouse
Lt. J. F. Handley, jr., (MC)	Ens. R. F. Jones
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Lt. (jg) H. E. Matthews	Lt. (jg) C. E. Barrett
Lt. (jg) M. T. Benedict, jr.	Lt. (jg) H. C. Latham
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U. S. Marine Corps
Maj. R. M. Day
U. S. Marine Corps Reserve
†2nd Lt. J. J. P. Fitzgerald
†Died in Prison Camp.
* Previously reported missing.

Decommission Ulithi

Ulithi Atoll, once a tremendous repair and supply base and secret anchorage for the U. S. Pacific Fleet, was decommissioned 27 Dec. and all Naval activities except a weather observation station have been discontinued.

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Adm. King's Report

(Following is a continuation from last week's ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL of the text of the report of Fleet Admiral Ernest J. King):

V ATLANTIC OPERATIONS

The operations of the United States Navy in the Atlantic and Mediterranean Theaters culminated in the victory of the Allied nations in Europe. The success of the joint anti-submarine campaign and the tremendous achievements in shipbuilding were essential preludes to the landings in Normandy and southern France and the great land offensive, which in three months carried the Allied Expeditionary Forces to the German frontier and brought total victory on German soil six months later. This victory was possible because ships were available and their protection by the Navy effective.

Antisubmarine Operations

In the antisubmarine campaign our Atlantic Fleet had responsibility for Atlantic areas under United States operational command, and the British Admiralty was responsible for North Atlantic and European operations in which United States naval task forces participated. In the British control areas Commander U. S. Naval Forces in Europe assured proper liaison between the Admiralty and

the Tenth Fleet organization in my Headquarters, which was responsible for convoy and routing of United States shipping and the development of plans, weapons, and tactics to be employed in antisubmarine operations.

In the final month of the European war, German submarines made a last determined effort, in great strength, to reach the eastern coast of the United States. That attempt was thwarted by a powerful task force of the U. S. Atlantic Fleet, which, during an engagement lasting several days, destroyed five U-boats. The United States Navy's final successful action against German submarines occurred on 6 May, only two days before V-E day, when a U-boat was sunk off Block Island by the destroyer escort Atherton with the frigate Moberly assisting. The development of new techniques, the intensive training of antisubmarine crews, and the persistence with which the U-boats were hunted offensively all played vital parts in the surrender campaign. German submarines began to surface and surrender shortly after V-E day, and U. S. Atlantic Fleet escort vessels brought several of them to the United States east coast ports.

A review of antisubmarine and convoy operations since 1939 illustrates clearly these major naval contributions to victory in Europe. The summarized statistics on the Battle of the Atlantic are as follows:

Year	(a) German Submarines Sunk (Number)	(b) Allied Shipping Sunk (Number)	(c) New Construction (In thousands of tons)			(d) Net Gains or Losses
			U. S.	British	Total	
1939 (4 mos.)	9	810	101	231	332	-478
1940	22	4,407	439	780	1,219	-3,188
1941	35	4,398	1,169	815	1,984	-2,414
1942	85	8,245	5,339	1,843	7,182	-1,063
1943	237	3,611	12,384	2,201	14,585	+10,974
1944	241	1,422	11,639	1,710	13,349	+11,927
1945 (4 mos.)	153	458	3,551	283	3,834	+ 3,376
Totals	782	23,351	34,622	7,963	42,485	+19,134

From the foregoing statistical summary the chief features of the Battle of the Atlantic are clear:

(a) Until the closing months of 1942 the German submarines were continuing to reduce the available total of Allied tonnage;

(b) Antisubmarine operations resulted in the sinking of an average of 12 German submarines per month after 1 January 1943, or a total of 480 in the two years 1943-44;

(c) American shipyards alone produced an average of a million tons per month of new

merchant ships after 1 January 1943, or a total of 24,000,000 tons in two years.

In the 12 months from 1 June 1944, 135 convoys arrived in United Kingdom ports from overseas with a total of 7,157 merchant ships totaling more than 50,000,000 gross tonnage. The escort of this shipping and the provision of trained naval armed guard crews aboard the merchant vessels were among the primary tasks performed by the United States Navy in the prosecution of the war in Europe.

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"The future of our country now is as much at stake as it was in the days of the war."—PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

OUR PRIORITY LIST

1. Maintenance in accordance with professional studies of our national needs and international commitments, of Regular Establishments organized and trained to utilize and employ materials of war developed by continuing Scientific research, and backed by Industry and Labor kept intimately familiar with the manufacture of such materials.
2. Reconstruction of National Guard and Reserve components federally aided and encouraged to maximum efficiency, and effectively coordinated with the Regular Services, and universal military training.
3. Increase in active and retired pay and allowances to meet risen costs so as to enable maintenance of American standards of living, and protection of such pay from reduction through income taxes.
4. Institution of orderly promotion systems in the Regular Establishments with recognition of war service and war ranks, to prevent future stagnation, and to insure the maintenance of high professional standards.
5. Continuance and expansion of service schools, including the Army and Navy Staff College, attendance of which shall be open to National Guard and Reserve officers.
6. Suitable rank and retirement benefits for former enlisted personnel who served as commissioned officers during the war.
7. Grant of the same rights and benefits to those who elect to remain in the Services as will be enjoyed by the discharged veterans.
8. Upward revision of pension scales to assure Service widows and dependents a living income.
9. Compensation for Service personnel who use privately owned automobiles on government business.
10. Maintenance of stock piles of strategic materials.

IT is unfortunate that the demonstrations being staged by Army troops in virtually all foreign theaters are giving comfort, and possibly aid, to the enemies of the United States and are weakening our voice in postwar discussions. To the other nations of the world the conduct of our demonstrating soldiers can not be classified other than mutinous and rebellious. But Americans know otherwise—they know that these men who beat our enemies in a hard fought and bloody war are not intentionally jeopardizing the victory they have won but are exercising what they believe to be their peace-time rights of petition and protest. In this they are encouraged by a Congress, which recently dignified the barrack-room griping of a partly-trained recruit by permitting him to use a committee hearing for a national sounding board. On the other hand, the War Department, which with the help of the Navy has set an astounding record in bringing men home from all quarters of the globe (more than half of the 8,300,000 soldiers already have been released), has not succeeded in convincing those not brought home that there are sound reasons therefor, and, in spite of the many millions of dollars spent, has not administered its morale program in such a way that the men have been kept busy on interesting and constructive projects. Instead the men have had idle time to listen to the agitation of trouble-makers and guard-house lawyers.

The whole situation points definitely to the need of Regular Establishments sufficient in strength to perform the duties of occupation and the garrisoning of our foreign outposts and thus to express the power of the United States in this period when although the war has been won the peace is still to be made secure. Progress has been toward recruiting such establishments, but obviously the inducements for a professional career have not been made sufficiently attractive nor has the recruiting campaign been sufficiently intense. Congress must provide better inducements by increasing the pay schedules, by improving promotion prospects, and by more liberal retirement benefits such as the 16- and 20-year retirement bill now pending in the Senate. The war-time personnel now overseas are entitled to discharge and will be brought home when replacements are trained and available. In the meanwhile, life in distant lands should be made more durable by an effective morale and recreation program. This war has taught the rest of the world to respect the American soldier as a fighting man. In peace his conduct must continue to be such as to uphold and maintain the power and prestige of the United States among the nations of the world. It is up to Congress and the War Department to support and back him up in this.

THE stupendous output which the industrial concerns of the United States supplied to our forces and to those of our Allies on all of the fighting fronts not only made this country truly the Arsenal of Democracy but demonstrated more forcibly than ever before the crushing power of the production line. Having played this major role in war, industry has now redirected its sights toward complete reconversion for the production of sorely needed civilian goods and the restoration of its place in world markets. Fortunately, however, leaders in industry and in the Army and Navy know that there can be no laxity in National Defense, that even though the great war factories are being dismantled we must ever be in a state of readiness, by planning and the maintenance and improvement of skill and "know-how", to turn again to the production of the means of waging war. It is significant and important that the Army Industrial College, which played such a vital role in pre-war preparedness, is resuming operation. Attending this institution are officers of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps. Helping in its operation are civilian production experts and officials of large and small concerns who come to Washington to give their time and efforts in this important work. By this close relationship, the Armed Forces and industry will know better each others problems and needs and be better fitted to assure security through production.

Service Humor

SEAMAN TOOLEY AND PVT. HARTREE

"So the Ridskins was bate by the Cleveland Rams," says me frind, Privut Hartree, layin' down the noospaper. "Tis too bad the Ar-rmy tame c'udn't take on the winner fr the benefit av Boondles fr Britain or Tay-Parties fr Thailand or the Home fr Homeless Hoongarians or some other nooble charity."

"They can't because the riglar futbol sayson is over," says I. "An' the gl'n'als are right. T'is the dooty an' the purpose av the Service schools to tur-rn out gl'n'als an' admirals, an' not futbol halfbacks."

"Just the same," says he, "sames to me they might 'av let the Ar-rmy go to the Rose Bowl. 'Twad 'av been worth a sate in the bleachers, seeln' Doc Blanchard an' Joonior Davis rubblin' the noses av thim Troojans in the sunkissed 'sile av Southern Cally-fornia."

"An' t'wad 'av been bad to the same degray fr the nixt Ar-rmy approopiation bill," says I. "If there's one foundation stone to the great temple av' democracy it's the dominashon av' the civilian over the militry. An' sindin' Doc Blanchard against the av'rage civilian cintir w'ud be the same as sindin' an Ar-rmy tank against the pickit fince around yer grand-mither's petchoomia bed. As me frind, Boo'sun Malloy, says, compeytion is the life av tr-rade. An' t'wad be no compeytion there. Compeytion sh'ud be betwane aquals, like between the Ar-rmy an' Navy tames."

"Did ye see the game in Phillydelphy?" says Privut Hartree.

"I did," says I. "an' t'was a gr-reat game—barrin' the fir-rst quarter. An' t'was a gr-reat example av the beauties av compeytion an' resarch. There is no finer example av compeytion an' resarch than a good futbol team."

"An' how do ye arrive at that conclouision?" says he.

"Did ye see the game two years ago—an' the one befor that—an' the one befor that?" says I.

"Ye're spakin' av the times when Navy bate the Ar-rmy?" says he.

"O' am," says I. "T'was gittin' monotonous fr the Ar-rmy, so what did they do? They wint in fr some intinsive resarch. An' after lukkin' around a bit they decided the Tay-formashon was the atoomic boom av futbol. An' as a resolt av their studies, in anither year or two they whaled the daylight out av me young admirals. So what does the Navy do? It sees the error av its ways an' it adopts the Tay-formashon too. Which is as it sh'ud be—one Service digs up some-thin' new an' better, an' then the ithir Service gits the advantage av it. T'is was av the beauties av compeytion an' resarch."

"I still say it was Doc Blanchard an' Joonior Davis that whaled the Navy, an' not what you say it was," says Privut Hartree.

"How did Ar-rmy git Joonior an' Doc in the fir-rst place?" says I. "By resarch, that's how."

"I don't follow ye," says Privut Hartree. "Resarch is the fundamental av any good futbol tame," says I. "The way it wurks is that the Ar-rmy gits the tip-off that there's a gr-rand cintir or quarterback playin' on Kentooky High or some ithir frish-water school or collich, an' Ar-rmy nades a cintir or quarterback. So they sind around their resarch man to invistigate the matter. An' the nixt thing anybody knows, the Kentooky quarterback is at West P'int knockin' the daylight out av the opposition."

"I still don't see where the Navy gits any benefit out av it," says me frind.

"They don't git the benefit av the Kentooky quarterback, but they do git the benefit av the idea," says I. "So they do a little privut resarch av their own. An' next year they also come up with a Kentooky cintir or quarterback—if they c'n bate the Ar-rmy to him. Which is compeytion all over again."

"T'is a trifl har-rd on Kentooky, isn't it?" says Privut Hartree.

"Not if they're nashional minded instid av sictional minded."

—Contributed.

Ask The Journal

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J. H. P.—The Navy says that "if line and Supply Corps officers have not had 2 years of college they must take a test to demonstrate their satisfactory background and mental capacity. This test makes no attempt to measure formal education, and a lack of college education should not deter officers from considering transfer." (See Cir. Letter 288-45 P 14 15 Nov. 1945.) This answer pertains to Naval Reserve and temporary officers interested in regular Navy commissions.

A. J. C.—Information pertaining to the "Army Commendation Ribbon" is contained in War Department Circular 377, 18 Dec. 1945.

P. E. A.—For information pertaining to "Scarce Categories of Enlisted Specialists" see War Department Circular 382 dated 21 Dec. 1945.

J. Y. S.—Officers, warrant officers, and enlisted men or women, other than Regular Army, who have completed 2 years of active service, whose MOSs are not on the critical list of scarce categories, who are not eligible for overseas service, and who desire to accept civilian employment with the Veterans Administration may file applications for relief from active duty or for discharge to accept civilian appointments in the VA under appropriate existing regulations. (W. D. Cir. 388 29 Dec. 1945.)

G. J. B.—The retired pay of an enlisted man transferred to the Enlisted Reserve Corps after 20 years' service does not increase at any time.

In The Journal

One Year Ago

When we have made sure of the liberation of Luzon, which will not be an easy task, we shall have definitely cut off Japan from the oil, rubber and other trade of the stolen empire in the East Indies. We shall have restored their liberty to the Philippine people.

10 Years Ago

The Air Corps progresses. From a service under the Signal Corps, it is now an arm of its own with an independent fighting unit and eight general officers—Chief of Corps and Force Commander as major generals; three assistant chiefs and three wing commanders as brigadier generals.

25 Years Ago

Brig. Gen. Douglas MacArthur and his mother, Mrs. Arthur MacArthur, received the officers and ladies of the post (West point) on New Year's Day from eleven until one o'clock at the Superintendent's quarters. Mrs. MacArthur was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Flebeger.

50 Years Ago

The Navy Department has not yet received any report on the trial of liquid fuel at the New York Navy Yard. So far as can be learned no test has yet occurred.

80 Years Ago

Petitions are being signed in Philadelphia, asking Congress so to amend and modify the pension laws as to equalize the pensions of officers and privates and their respective families, making them uniformly the same without regard to previous rank, and that the pay of each officer and private be not less than \$14 per month.

ARMY ORDERS

Secretary of War—Robert P. Patterson
Under Secretary of War—Kenneth Royall
Assistant Secretary of War—Howard C. Petersen.

Chief of Staff—General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower

GENERAL OFFICERS

Lt. Gen. L. Lutes, rel. from detail as member of GSC.

Maj. Gen. J. M. Anderson, Hq AGF, Wash., D. C., to Ft. Bragg, N. C., as CG.

Maj. Gen. W. M. Hoge, from dty as Div Engr NE Engr Dist, Boston, Mass., to MDW, Ft. Belvoir, Va., as Deputy CG.

Maj. Gen. H. J. Knerr, Hq AAF, Wash., D. C., to Office Joint C of S, Wash., D. C., as AAF Member of Joint Strat Survey Comm.

Maj. Gen. S. L. Scott, from dty as Deputy Dir Plans and Op ASF, Wash., D. C., to dty as Dir Plans and Op ASF, Wash., D. C.

Maj. Gen. D. Noce, from dty as Dir Plans and Op ASF to dty as C of S and Deputy CG, ASF, Wash., D. C.

Maj. Gen. F. L. Walker, ret'd.

Maj. Gen. K. Truandell, ret'd.

Maj. Gen. D. N. W. Grant, ret'd.

Maj. Gen. P. H. Brown (Lt. Col. Inf.) ret'd. as Maj. Gen. p.d.

Maj. Gen. D. McCoach, Jr., (Col. CE) ret'd upon own app. as Col.

Brig. Gen. R. E. Duff, MDW, Wash., D. C., to Hq ASF, Wash., D. C.

Brig. Gen. T. L. Futch, from dty as CG, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to Hq First Army, Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Brig. Gen. M. McClure, from dty Hq Second Army, Memphis, Tenn., to Harvard U., Cambridge, Mass., as PMS & T.

Brig. Gen. J. C. Marshall, from dty as CG BNPE, Boston, Mass., to assignment as Member of the Engr Bd., Ft. Belvoir, Va.

Brig. Gen. G. C. Hollar, Hq ASF, Wash., D. C., to Det of Patients, Schick GH, Clinton, Ia.

Brig. Gen. D. M. Crawford, OC Sig O, Wash., D. C., to Det Patients, Walter Reed GH, Wash., D. C.

Brig. Gen. C. H. Searcy, OC of S, Wash., D. C., to Det Patients, Walter Reed GH, Wash., D. C.

Brig. Gen. R. C. Ditto, ret'd.

Brig. Gen. V. Meyer (Col., FA) ret'd. as Brig. Gen. p.d.

Brig. Gen. J. E. Copeland, ret'd.

Brig. Gen. M. W. Arnold (Capt. AC), ret'd upon own app. as Capt.

GENERAL STAFF CORPS

Col. J. B. Cary, Wash., D. C., to 400th AAF Base Unit, San Francisco, Calif.

Col. N. D. Moore, San Antonio, Tex., to USMA West Point, N. Y.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Lt. Col. M. J. Bartosik, Memphis, Tenn., to AGO, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. R. W. Hendricks, Brooklyn, N. Y., to 2d Sv C, Ft. Hancock, N. J.

Maj. E. Kennedy, Ft. Jackson, S. C., to 2nd Sv C, Sep C, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Lt. Col. E. Schmitt, Cp McCoy, Wis., to ASF Tng Center, Cp Lee, Va.

Maj. W. G. Winter, Ft. Mason, Calif., to AGO, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. J. T. Hullinger, Indiantown Gp Mil Res. Pa., to MED, with Sta at Wash., D. C.

Capt. P. W. Bradley, Seattle, Wash., to AGO, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. W. M. Kelly, New Orleans, La., to OSW, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. H. A. Palmer, Ft. Mason, Calif., to AGO, Wash., D. C.

Capt. D. J. Wickland, Ft. Mason, Calif., to AGO, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. P. R. Brown, Indiantown Gap Mil Res. Pa., to AG Pool, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Capt. Jack B. Pierce, Ft. Mason, Calif., to AGO, Wash., D. C.

Capt. J. M. Todd, Barksdale Fld., La., to Civil Affairs, San Francisco, Calif.

Maj. L. M. Gwin, Nashville, Tenn., to Hq 4th Sv C, Atlanta, Ga.

Lt. Col. N. Deutsch, Wellsville, N. Y., to AGO, Wash., D. C.

Maj. G. D. Mangus, Gettysburg, Pa., to Hq 3rd Sv C, Baltimore, Md.

Capt. W. Williams, Jacksonville, Fla., to Hq Repl Pool, Birmingham, Ala.

1st Lt. R. A. Sullivan, Wash., D. C., to 9th Sv C, Ft. MacArthur, Calif.

Maj. J. J. Reardon, Ft. Jackson, S. C., to 9th Sv C, Cp Haan, Calif.

1st Lt. D. J. McNasser, Cp Wheeler, Ga., to New Orleans, La.

Maj. N. R. Lowrey, Ft. Sheridan, Ill., to 5th Sv C, Cp Atterbury, Ind.

Col. C. Warden, Camp Gruber, Okla., to Hq 1st Sv C, Boston, Mass.

1st Lt. E. R. Montgomery, Boston, Mass., to Hq 6th Sv C, Chicago, Ill.

Capt. D. E. Bahn, Ft. Mason, Calif., to 102nd MEU, Ft. Ord, Calif.

Maj. G. R. McLaughlin, New Orleans, La., to OSW, Wash., D. C.

Capt. H. K. Harwood, Wash., D. C., to Hq 9th Sv C, Ft. Douglas, Utah.

Lt. Col. F. C. Pishon, Brooklyn, N. Y., to Hq 8th Sv C, Dallas, Tex.

Maj. John C. Zook, New Orleans, La., to AGO, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. B. Pace, Brooklyn, N. Y., to Hq 2nd Sv C, Governors Island, New York.

JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL'S DEPT.

Lt. Col. W. T. Baughn, Dallas, Tex., to Wash., D. C.

OFFICIAL ORDERS

The Hon. Harry S. Truman, Commander in Chief of the Army and Navy
Chief of Staff—Fleet Admiral William D. Leahy, USN, Ret.
Military Aide—Brig. Gen. Harry Vaughan, Ret'd Aide—Brig. Gen. John K. Vandenberg

NAVY ORDERS

Secretary of the Navy—James Forrestal.
Under Secretary of the Navy—Artemus L. Gates.

Assistant Secretary of the Navy, Air—John L. Sullivan.

Assistant Secretary of the Navy—H. Struve Hensel.

Chief of Naval Operations—Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz.

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Admiral

Lawrence F. Reifsnider, (RADm.), to 11th ND, San Diego, pending assignment.

Commodores

Francis M. McCarthy, (CEC(S)), NR, to 12th ND, San Francisco, pending assignment.

Rodger W. Simpson, to Commander, Training Command, Marianas.

Captains

William G. Beecher, to Bu Pers, Navy Dept.

Oscar L. Carlson, (CEC), NR, to 3rd ND, New York.

Albert G. Cook, Jr., to Commanding Officer, USS General William Mitchell.

Frederick M. Curran, (D), NR, to Separation.

William H. Godson, (CEC), NR, to Separation.

Robert O. Strange, to Aide and Chief of Staff—Battleship Division 4.

Rufus G. Thayer, to Commanding Officer, USS General J. C. Breckinridge.

Commanders

Conrad H. Brandt, (DC), to Naval Hospital, Norman.

Lyman R. McAboy, (A1), NR, to Potomac River Naval Command, Washington.

Paul G. Perry, (CEC), NR, to Bureau of Yards and Docks.

George W. Ritter, (SC(S)), NR, to Office Assistant Secretary Navy (Material Division).

Robert O. Thatcher, (CEC), NR, to 3rd ND, New York.

Alexander Voripaleff, S(E2), NR, to Separation.

William F. Wetzel, (D)L, NR, to Bu Ord.

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Admirals

William K. Harrill, (RADm.), to Commander Fleet Air, West Coast.

Thomas E. Hipp, (RADm.), SC, to Supply Officer in Command, Naval Barracks (WR), Cleveland.

Clifton A. F. Sprague, (RADm.), to Commander, Carrier Division Three.

Captains

John M. Bacholus, MC, to Staff, Naval Force, Europe.

Arthur W. Eaton, Jr., MC, to Hospital, San Diego.

Chesley M. Ivans, (DE), NR, to Commanding Officer, USS Colusa.

Seiden G. Cooper, to Eleventh ND, San Diego.

Firman F. Knachel, (D), NR, to Training Center, San Francisco, pending assignment.

Harry F. Miller, to Commander, Destroyer Squadron 13 and Commander, Destroyer Division 131.

Carl A. Peterson, to Shipyard, Mare Island.

Richard H. Phillips, to Bu Pers, Navy Dept.

Henry E. Richter, to Nearest ND pending assignment.

Charles R. Tatum, MC, to Supply Depot, Pearl Harbor.

Commanders

Karol I. Andrew, DC, to Dispensary, Naval Base, Philadelphia.

Robert B. Brown, (MC), NR, to Hospital, Philadelphia.

Walter J. Buckley, (DE), NR, to Nearest ND.

Theodore H. B. Davie, to Commanding Officer, Fleet Air Wing 4, Headquarters Squadron.

Richard J. Davis, to Commanding Officer, Patrol Bombing Squadron 120.

Paul L. Drouin, (DM), NR, to Nearest ND, duty connection separation.

Robert E. Gadow, to Inspector Naval Material, Hartford, Conn.

Ira F. Haddock, SC, to Naval Aviation Supply Depot, Philadelphia.

Harry Hull, to Nearest ND, pending assignment.

Gould Hunter, to Bu Ships.

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Nels C. Johnson, to Commanding Officer, USS Theodore E. Chandler (DD 717).

Raymond S. Becklew, SCN, NR, to Supply Finance Officer, Merchant Marine Academy, Kings Point.

Edward S. Quilter, A3D, NR, to Commanding Officer, Carrier Aircraft Service Unit, 66.

Elmer W. Schuessler, (DC), NR, to Service Force, Pacific Fleet.

Walker A. Settle, Jr., to Commanding Officer, Carrier Aircraft Service Unit, 65.

Carl D. Short, (SE), NR, to Assistant Electronics Officer, Repair Base, San Diego.

Robert J. Stroh, to Fleet Air Command, further assignment.

Warren R. Thompson, to Executive Officer, USS Ticonderoga CV 14.

William D. Wellock, (DC), NR, to Separation Center, South Boston, Mass.

James L. Wells, NC, to Naval Air Station, Norfolk.

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Admirals

William L. Calhoun, (VAdm.), to Naval Operations.

John H. Cassidy, (RADm.), to Commander, Carrier Div 1.

Robert M. Griffin, (RADm.), to Commander, Naval Forces, Japan.

Osborne B. Hardison, (RADm.), to Commander, Carrier Division 5.

Thomas C. Kinkaid, (Adm.), to Commander, Eastern Sea Frontier additional duty Commander, Gulf Sea Frontier.

Ernest W. Litch, (RADm.), to Commander, Carrier Division 4.

Lawrence F. Reifsnider, (RADm.), to Commander, Administrative Command, Amphibious Forces, Pacific.

Malcolm F. Schoeffel, (RADm.), to Assistant Chief Bureau Ordnance.

Commanders

Homer W. Graf, to Supervisor New York Harbor.

William S. Popham, to Administrative Officer, Shipyard, Charleston.

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MARINE CORPS

Commandant—General A. A. Vandegrift

Asst. Commandant—Maj. Gen. A. H. Turnage

Brig. Gen. Karl S. Day, temporarily appointed to grade of Brigadier General in the Marine Corps Reserve, to be relieved from a. d.

Col. Lyman Passmore, to be relieved from a. d.

Col. John A. Bemis, Sasebo to Headquarters.

Col. Lester A. Desses, Washington, D. C., to overseas.

Col. Harold E. Rosecrans' previous orders from overseas to San Diego Area revoked.

Col. Melvin J. Maas, to be relieved from a. d.

Lt. Col. John D. Munde, overseas to Naval Hospital, Oakland, Calif.

Lt. Col. Elkin S. Dew, overseas to Cherry Point, N. C.

Lt. Col. Eugene N. Thompson's previous orders from overseas to San Diego modified to San Francisco, Calif.

Lt. Col. Harry F. Baker, Jr., to await retirement orders.

Lt. Col. Marion A. Fawcett, to await retirement orders.

Lt. Col. George H. Eddleman, to await retirement orders.

Lt. Col. Walter F. Lauer, to be relieved from a. d.

Lt. Col. John S. Carter's previous orders from overseas revoked; ordered to aviation duty, San Francisco, Calif.

Lt. Col. Robert T. Stivers' previous orders from overseas to San Diego Area modified to Norfolk, Va.

Lt. Col. George C. Ruffin, Jr., overseas to Quantico, Va.

Lt. Col. Chauncey V. Burnett's previous orders from San Francisco, to inactive duty revoked.

Lt. Col. Ewart S. Laue, to be relieved from a. d.

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Joint Air Board Revived

The Aeronautical Board, established in October 1916 for Joint Army-Navy planning, procurement and coordination of air power, has been reorganized to resume functions which during the last five years had in part been delegated to various war agencies, including the War Production Board and the Joint Aircraft Committee.

Action to accomplish this purpose was taken recently at a meeting presided over by Lt. Gen. Ira C. Eaker, Deputy Commander, Army Air Forces, and Vice Adm. Marc A. Mitscher, USN, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations, (Air).

The Aeronautical Board was established 11 Oct. 1916, as the Joint Army-Navy Airship Board. Later its name was changed to the Joint Army-Navy Board on Aeronautic Cognizance. During World War I, the Board reviewed appropriations for Army and Naval aviation, helped plan the establishment of air bases and stations, and made studies relating to national air defenses.

The present Aeronautical Board, its successor, was so named on 29 Dec. 1919. Among aviation pioneers closely associated with the Aeronautical Board were Generals Henry H. Arnold, Mason A. Patrick, and James A. Fechet, and Admirals William A. Moffett, John H. Towers and Marc A. Mitscher, all of whom subsequently became heads of their respective Army and Navy air commands.

The new Board includes the following membership:

Army—Deputy Commanding General, Army Air Forces; Assistant Chief of Air Staff, Material and Services, Operations Division; War Department General Staff Member.

Navy—Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Air); Asst. Chief Bureau of Aeronautics; Director, Aviation Logistics Plans.

The following committees have been established: Plans and Policies; Research and Development; Production Program; Supply and Maintenance Requirements; Aircraft Radio and Electronics; Aircraft Ordnance and Armament; Army-Navy-Civil Committee on Aircraft Design Criteria, and the Working Committee.

The Working Committee is charged with the preparation of Joint Army-Navy aeronautical standards, the coordination of release for domestic and foreign sale and manufacture of aeronautical equipment and the release of technical information pertaining thereto, coordination be-

tween appropriate committees of the Aeronautical Board, and the duties of Secretariat. Membership of this committee consists of a senior Army and Navy Aviator appointed respectively by the Commanding General, Army Air Forces, and the Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Air).

Outlines AAF Future

General of the Army H. H. Arnold, commanding general of the Army Air Forces, speaking on "The National Hour" over the NBC network 6 Jan., said that there can be but one mission for the Air Forces in the future of aviation, to preserve the peace.

Maintaining air power, General Arnold said, is a job that falls into three parts, which he outlined as follows:

"Part one can be called air power in being. It is the maintenance of the striking air force that the aggressor knows can take off against him on the notice of minutes and hours instead of months and years, when called upon to defend the peace. This force is composed of our 70-group air force of 3,900 operating planes and approximately 400,000 men, our minimum estimate for national security at the moment.

"Part two is the foundation of air power. It includes constant and driving research that must never flag.

"Part three is the support of air power. The Air Forces must pioneer in the emphasis of the significance of the air so that Americans become the most air-minded people in the world."

Air Navigation

A daylight celestial sighting device, making possible celestial navigation by day, has been perfected by the Air Forces Board, Orlando, Fla.

The instrument as originally produced consisted of an optical lens two inches in diameter with a focal length of 12 inches. Attached to the lower end of the tube was an eyepiece turret with three eyepiece mount giving 10x, 20x and 40x magnification. Shades were attached to cut down sun glare. A prism placed within the tube bent the light rays through 90 degrees, making observation of the stars in daylight possible.

The original instrument was designed to be hand-held, but later a tripod attachment was designed. For the flight test a special mount was installed in the astrodome so that the instrument could be fixed in a certain position. The final step in the experiment resulted in making the test a success, and consisted of construction of a mounting that allows for the motion of the aircraft in making a shot. This mount contains a roller device which maintains the same artificial horizon throughout the taking of the shot.

Carrier Jet Plane

The first Navy fighter plane powered exclusively by jet engines, and designed for carrier operation has been announced by the Navy Department.

Already extensively flight-tested, the new FD-1 has a service ceiling of well over seven miles and is the first Navy fighter to attain speeds in excess of 500 miles per hour. Primarily designed as an interceptor, it has an extremely high rate of climb and a range of approximately 1,000 miles. This plane constitutes a significant milestone in the history of naval aviation as it opens the field of carrier operation to the all-jet interceptor.

Power for the "Phantom" is furnished by twin axial-flow turbo-jet engines built into the wing roots. The engines contain no long scoops or ducts. For conditions where take-off assistance is needed, either standard carrier catapults or JATO units may be used.

Built of light aluminum alloy, polished to glass-like finish, the FD-1 presents only slight resistance to the air it passes through. The plexiglass cockpit canopy, set ahead of the engines, resembles an elongated bubble. All rivet heads are set flush and the tricycle landing gear is completely enclosed when retracted. Total weight with full combat load is less than 10,000 pounds.

A single-seat, low-wing monoplane of conventional monocoque design, the "Phantom" has a wing span of approximately 40 feet. The wings fold electrically, and when rigged for stowage the plane is but 16 feet wide. Rocket devices and auxiliary belly fuel tanks may be dropped in flight.

Despite its high top speed, the new plane has a landing speed comparable to that of conventional carrier-based fighters, and can take a flight-deck "wave-off." Armament, as the FD-1 is now designed, consists of standard fighter armament mounted in the nose.

The XFD-1 has been thoroughly flight-tested and additional planes for further experimentation and service testing will be delivered soon.

The new plane was built by the McDonnell Aircraft Corp.

Air Surgeon Retires

Maj. Gen. David N. W. Grant, The Air Surgeon, Army Air Forces, has departed on terminal leave pending the final completion of his separation from the service. Brig. Gen. Malcolm C. Grow, former Surgeon for the United States Strategic Air Forces in Europe, is Acting Air Surgeon.

General Grant had served as The Air Surgeon since the reorganization of the Army of the United States in 1941 at which time he was a colonel, serving as Chief of the Medical Division of the Air Corps.

Born in Richmond, Va., on 14 May 1891, General Grant received his medical degree at the University of Virginia in 1915. He entered active duty as a Medical Reserve Corps officer in 1916 and in the following year was appointed a first lieutenant in the Regular Army.

During World War I he served in Panama and for a short time was stationed in the United States. He was promoted to captain and major in 1918 and in 1919 took command of the sanitary train with the Army of Occupation in Germany. After tours of duty at various stations following the war, he attended the School of Aviation Medicine in 1931 and was stationed at Randolph Field, Texas. Following attendance at the Air Forces Tactical School, Maxwell Field, Alabama, and the Chemical Warfare School, Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland, General Grant was appointed Chief of the Medical Division, Office, Chief of the Air Corps, in 1939.

He was promoted to Brigadier General in 1942 and to Major General in 1943. In 1940, General Grant went to England as Medical Military Air Observer and since that time has made inspection trips to all theaters of operation.

ATC Surgeons Meet

A conference of the surgeons of the Air Transport Command was held 8, 9 and 10 Jan. at ATC Headquarters, Gravelly Point, Washington, D. C.

Gives ATSC Figures

During 1945 the Air Technical Service Command returned \$12 billion to the United States Treasury, Lt. Gen. Nathan F. Twining, commanding general, has announced.

AAF expenditures, through ATSC, during the war totaled around \$36 billion. Shortly after Pearl Harbor ATSC procurement amounted to \$5 billion a month, and as 1945 drew to a close this monthly sum had been cut to \$80 million.

As of 30 Nov. ATSC had terminated over 24,000 contracts. The contract price of the items cancelled was \$23 billion, and all but 5,365 had been settled with a fair return to the manufacturers.

Aircraft Exhibit Opens

The National Aircraft Show, demonstrating both military and commercial aircraft and equipment, opened at Cleveland, Ohio, 11 Jan. and continues through 20 Jan.

Speakers and guests include: General Carl Spaatz, Lt. Gen. Harold L. George, Lt. Gen. Hoyt S. Vandenberg, Lt. Gen. Nathan F. Twining, Maj. Gen. Howard C. Davidson, Maj. Gen. Charles C. Chauncey, Maj. Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, Maj. Gen. Elwood R. Quesada, Maj. Gen. Benjamin W. Chidlaw, Maj. Gen. Lauris Norstad, Maj. Gen. Edward M. Powers, Maj. Gen. William O. Beightler, Brig. Gen. Laurence C. Craigie and Brig. Gen. Reuben C. Hood.

Craig Field Record

Craig Field, Selma, Ala. — The New Year arrived at Craig Field and found the guard house empty. Unpopulated since 5 Dec., the record of the guard house for the past year speaks well for the policies of the commanding officer, Col. Ray W. Clifton. On only two dates in the past year were there as many as five prisoners.



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1st Lt. R. C. Mathewson, Ft. Dix, N. J., to 1st Sv C, Ft. Devens, Mass.
Lt. Col. D. F. Jones, Austin, Tex., to 8th Sv C, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
Capt. M. B. Shiffman, El Paso, Tex., to 5th Sv C, Ft. Benj. Harrison, Ind.
1st Lt. Norman Taub, Ft. Dix, N. J., to Hq 6th Sv C, Chicago, Ill.
1st Lt. I. H. Scheinberg, Edgewood Ars., to Coml Warfare Sch., Englewood Ars., Md.
Maj. J. L. Leon, Castle Point, N. Y., to Vet Adm., New York City.
1st Lt. A. V. McBee, Swannanoa, N. C., to Sta Hosp., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Lt. Col. M. H. Todd, Indianapolis, Ind., to Miami Beach, Fla.
Col. R. H. Albee, Boston, Mass., to 1st Sv C, Ft. Devens, Mass.
Capt. H. Caplan, Ft. Dix, N. J., to Brooklyn, N. Y.
Maj. M. G. Karp, Ft. Jackson, S. C., to 1st Sv C, Framingham, Mass.
1st Lt. B. Milloff, Long Island, N. Y., to 1st Sv C, Ft. Devens, Mass.
Lt. Col. F. D. Laké, Springfield, Mass., to Repl Pool, Ft. Devens, Mass.
Capt. E. S. Brea, Jr., Wash., D. C., to 3rd Sv C, Ft. G. Meade, Md.
Capt. L. A. Fuoco, Ft. Dix, N. J., to NYPE, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Lt. Col. J. J. Walker, Danville, Ky., to NYPE, Brooklyn, N. Y.
1st Lt. I. D. Steinhardt, Clinton, Iowa, to Sta Hosp., Ft. Mason, Calif.
Capt. E. M. Marcus, San Francisco, Calif., to Disposition Center, Ft. Mason, Calif.
Capt. M. Verseane, Ft. Dix, N. J., to Sta Hosp., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Lt. Col. W. B. Brown, Springfield, Mo., to 7th Sv C, Fitzmons G.H., Denver, Colo.
Capt. M. Kozoday, Cp Bowie, Tex., to 1st Sv C, Ft. Devens, Mass.
1st Lt. M. W. Heinemann, Ft. Dix, N. J., to 9th Sv C, Cp McQuade, Calif.
Maj. W. R. Durham, Sunmount, N. Y., to Vet Adm Hosp., Ootom, N. C.
Lt. Col. J. F. Gamble, Ft. Jackson, S. C., to Repl Pool Carlisle Bks, Pa.
Capt. S. B. Poole, 3rd, Ft. McPherson, Ga., to VAG, Wash., D. C.
1st Lt. W. G. Clevering, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to AAF Reg and Conv Hosp., San Antonio, Tex.
1st Lt. J. A. Cohen, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to AAF Reg and Conv Hosp., San Antonio, Tex.
1st Lt. F. J. Babb, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to AAF Reg and Conv Hosp., San Antonio, Tex.
Capt. R. B. Parker, Cp Swift, Tex., to 4 Sv C, Ft. Bragg, N. C.
Lt. Col. S. R. Ellis, Ft. Benj. Harrison, Ind., to VA Reg Off, Louisville, Ky.
Capt. R. O. Nulsen, Orangeburg, N. Y., to Hq 5 Sv C, Ft. Hayes, O.
1st Lt. R. Andres, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to AAF Reg and Conv Hosp., San Antonio, Tex.
1st Lt. V. P. Butz, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to AAF Reg and Conv Hosp., San Antonio, Tex.
1st Lt. J. W. Beeler, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to AAF Reg and Conv Hosp., San Antonio, Tex.
1st Lt. F. B. Adney, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to AAF Reg and Conv Hosp., San Antonio, Tex.
1st Lt. B. S. Abrams, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to AAF Reg and Conv Hosp., San Antonio, Tex.

1st Lt. R. I. Barrickman, Jr., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to AAF Reg and Conv Hosp., San Antonio, Tex.
Lt. Col. W. J. Sullivan, Ft. Dix, N. Y., to Vet Adm, Washington, D. C.
Capt. M. Singer, Utica, N. Y., to Hq 2d Sv C, Governors Island, N. Y.
Capt. B. Steeler, Philadelphia, Pa., to Vet Adm Area, New York City.
Capt. J. D. Tecce, Long Island, N. Y., to Washington, D. C.
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Maj. D. C. Wiggins, Minneapolis, Minn., to Vet Adm Area, New York City.
Capt. K. L. Nelson, Camp Gordon, Ga., to Minneapolis, Minn.
Capt. E. S. Kessler, Cp Campbell, Ky., to 5 Sv C, Ft. Benj. Harrison, Ind.
Capt. P. B. Marasco, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to Sta Hosp SEPE, Seattle, Wash.
1st Lt. C. L. McKinney, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to Bruns GH, Santa Fe, N. M.
Capt. J. Bornstein, Cp Polk, La., to Hq 2 Sv C, Governors Island, N. Y.
Capt. J. Klein, Bronx, N. Y., to VAH, Miami Beach, Fla.
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Capt. W. Rosenweig, Brooklyn, N. Y., to Ashford GH, White Sulphur Spgs, W. Va.
Lt. Col. B. White, Wash., D. C., to Ashford GH, White Sulphur Spgs, W. Va.
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Capt. J. F. Michaelree, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to Sta Hosp SEPE, Seattle, Wash.
Col. C. L. Leedham, Cp Campbell, Ky., to A-N GH, Hot Spgs Natl Pk, Ark.
1st Lt. J. P. Fischer, Utica, N. Y., to 8 Sv C Sta Med, Cp Fannin, Tex.
Capt. G. Rosen, Carlisle Bks, Pa., to Hq 1 Sv C, Boston.
Capt. G. V. Mitchell, Cp Swift, Tex., to Lovell GH, Ft. Devens, Mass.
Capt. E. A. Delarue, Jr., Wash., D. C., to Sep C 48, Ft. Knox, Ky.
1st Lt. T. R. Puryear, Ft. Dix, N. J., to 10th Sta Hosp, Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md.
Capt. W. B. Gray, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to Sta Hosp SEPE, Seattle, Wash.
Capt. E. K. Rose, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to Sta Hosp SEPE, Seattle, Wash.
Capt. A. K. Hill, Nashville, Tenn., to 1st Sv C, Ft. Devens, Mass.
Capt. E. B. Pollin, Ft. Jackson, S. C., to Hq 3 Sv C, Baltimore, Md.
Capt. S. Hammerman, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to Hq 3 Sv C, Baltimore, Md.
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Capt. P. T. Brazis, Modesto, Calif., to Gardiner GH, Chicago.
Lt. Col. P. A. Bergman, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to Brooke GH, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
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Col. A. L. Bradford, Ft. Benning, Ga., to Wm. Beaumont GH, El Paso, Tex.
Capt. A. J. Gnade, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to Sta Hosp SEPE, Ft. Mason, Calif.
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Lt. Col. B. N. Balding, San Francisco, Calif., to Hq Second Army, Memphis, Tenn.
Capt. E. M. Broen, Ft. George G. Meade, Md., to H2 6 Sv C, Chicago.
1st Lt. F. P. Mangin, Ft. Knox, Ky., to Hq 68 Sv C, Chicago.

Capt. W. W. Abrams, Greeley, Colo., to SEPE, Seattle, Wash.
Capt. M. W. Buehrig, Cp Swift, Tex., to H2 6 Sv C, Chicago.
1st Lt. B. C. Anthony, Ft. Huachuca, Ariz., to Godman AA Fld, Ky.
Col. C. K. Berle, Vancouver Bks, Wash., to O'Reilly GH, Springfield, Mo.
Capt. A. Feinfield, Ft. Sheridan, Ill., to Birmingham GH, Van Nuys, Calif.
Capt. J. S. Chambers, Ft. Benj. Harrison, Ind., to Sta Hosp USMA, West Point, N. Y.
1st Lt. A. H. Coleman, Ft. Huachuca, Ariz., to Tuskegee AA Fld, Ala.
1st Lt. E. H. Copper, Ft. Huachuca, Ariz., to Tuskegee AA Fld, Ala.
Lt. Col. R. E. Currie, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to Letterman GH, San Francisco.
1st Lt. G. M. Smith, Carlisle Bks, Pa., to 3 Sv C, Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md.
Capt. M. M. Katz, Bronx, N. Y., to VAH, Miami Beach, Fla.
Maj. F. H. Steinman, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to Hq 6 Sv C, Chicago.
1st Lt. J. S. Shortle, Ft. Lewis, Wash., to AMC, Wash., D. C.
Capt. M. Tepfer, Bronx, N. Y., to VAH, Miami Beach, Fla.
Capt. Poe-Eng Yu, Cp Carson, Colo., to 1 Sv C, Ft. Devens, Mass.
1st Lt. R. C. Bledsoe, Ft. Huachuca, Ariz., to Godman AA Fld, Ky.
The following first lieutenants of the Medical Corps relieved from duty at the MD Replacement Pool, Billings GH, Ft. Benj. Harrison, Ind., and after temporary duty assigned to Patterson Fld, Ohio:
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J. R. Barr T. G. Enasterling
C. R. Beeson J. F. Elder
T. C. Brooks R. E. Erikson
D. W. Crockett M. L. Ferguson
M. V. Davis J. C. Gibbons
R. E. Donnell H. E. Godman
J. A. Dowlen

DENTAL CORPS

Capt. H. A. Aburrow, Cp Bowie, Tex., to 3d Sv C, Edgewood Ars, Md.
Capt. H. Israel, Cp Atterbury, Ind., to 5th Sv C, Cleveland, Ohio.
1st Lt. M. Senluk, Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo., to Hq 2d Sv C, Governors Island, N. Y.
Capt. C. J. Jendrasiak, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to Hq 2d Sv C, Governors Island, N. Y.
Capt. W. Resselin, Ft. Crook, Nebr., to Hq 2d Sv C, Governors Island, N. Y.
1st Lt. A. J. Rossi, Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo., to Hq 2d Sv C, Governors Island, N. Y.
Capt. E. W. McIntire, Ft. Riley, Kans., to Md Repl Pool San Francisco, Calif.
Capt. C. J. Chiampl, Cp Crowder, Mo., to 7th Sv C, Cp Crowder, Mo.
Capt. R. F. Schroeder, Ft. Crook, Nebr., to Ft. Benj. Harrison, Ind.
1st Lt. W. H. Kaufman, Ft. Riley, Kans., to Md Repl Pool, San Francisco, Calif.
Lt. Col. W. J. Townsend, Cp Crowder, Mo., to Md Repl Pool, Ft. B Harrison, Ind.
Capt. S. Karp, Ft. Devens, Mass., to Hq

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2d Sv C, Governors Island, N. Y.
Lt. Col. J. C. Burr, Auburn, Calif., to 7th Sv C, Clinton, Iowa.
1st Lt. F. A. Gross, Texarkana, Tex., to Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
Capt. M. W. Bardige, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to Md Repl Pool, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
Capt. S. B. Harris, Cp Lockett, Calif., to Hq 2d Sv C, Governors Island, N. Y.
Capt. B. G. Funkhouser, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to Md Repl Pool, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
Capt. J. A. Morrison, Norfolk, Va., to Md Repl Pool, Atlanta, Ga.
Capt. A. W. Morgan, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
Capt. D. G. Weller, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to Repl Pool, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
1st Lt. I. J. Panken, Camp Beale, Calif., to Repl Pool, San Francisco, Calif.
Capt. C. H. Neill, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to Repl Pool, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
Maj. A. L. Seidler, Carlisle Bks, Pa., to Hq 3d Sv C, Baltimore, Md.
Capt. J. H. Revell, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to Repl Pool, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
Capt. Max S. Ross, Norfolk, Va., to Repl Pool, Atlanta, Ga.
Capt. D. E. Wagner, Cp Crowder, Mo., to Repl Pool, Ft. Dix, N. J.
Capt. S. Gruskin, Springfield, Mo., to 2d Sv C, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

MEDICAL ADMINISTRATIVE CORPS

2d Lt. R. P. Whitman, San Francisco, Calif., to NYPE, Brooklyn, N. Y.
1st Lt. J. L. Green, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to 9th Sv C, San Francisco, Calif.
1st Lt. L. Murstein, Camp Atterbury, Ind., to 1st Sv C, Ft. Devens, Mass.
Capt. G. B. Haffey, Ft. MacArthur, Calif., to Hq 6th Sv C, Chicago, Ill.
Capt. E. J. Anderson, Jr., Denver, Colo., to ASF Dep, San Antonio, Tex.
Maj. D. E. Person, Cp Sibert, Ala., to 8th Sv C, El Paso, Tex.
1st Lt. M. Wewerka, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to 9th Sv C, Camp Haan, Calif.
1st Lt. A. McAlliley, Ft. Benning, Ga., to 15th Abn Div, Ft. Bragg, N. C.
Capt. W. E. Ford, Clinton, Iowa, to 2d Sv C, Atlantic City, N. J.
2d Lt. N. I. Katz, Governors Island, N. Y., to 2d Sv C, Ft. Dix, N. J.
2d Lt. B. U. Phillips, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to 9th Sv C, Camp Haan, Calif.
1st Lt. C. R. Ruggles, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to 9th Sv C, Camp Haan, Calif.
2d Lt. C. B. Brodway, San Francisco, Calif., to NYPE, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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SERVICE NEWS AND GOSSIP

FOREIGN AFFAIRS. Withdrawal of the United States from the South East Asia Command constitutes the first step toward American retirement from Asian politics. Comprehended in that Command was Siam, with which the United States never officially was at war, because of the view of our Government that it was a Bangkok clique that was collaborating with the Japanese, and not the people. The wisdom of this decision became evident as the number of the guerilla forces constantly augmented, the aid to our daring aviators, Army Officers and SS agents increased, and as the embarrassments suffered by the Japanese grew. Since VJ Day, however, Washington has been concerned over the course the British authorities pursued in this entire area. To our amazement we learned that those authorities had presented 21 demands to the Siamese Government with which Britain had been at war. True that while the Siamese had not attacked the British they had aided Japan in many respects and had taken over British interests. But the twenty-one demands which Lord Mountbatten in command of the South Eastern Asia Command, presented to Bangkok, and which are illuminatingly revealed in this week's *Saturday Evening Post*, called for monopoly rights on Siamese oil, timber, rice, timber and rubber exports, control of Siamese shipping, permanent garrisons and bases and commercial air routes via Bangkok. As a friend of Siam and an ally of Britain, we made objection to the demands, and they were disavowed by London, and the treaty made is without the monopolistic features Lord Mountbatten intended to impose. In the South East Asian Command lies the Dutch East Indies, and as to them we have rejected Britain's thesis for her to reestablish Dutch rule in that territory, and it will be recalled we some weeks ago requested that United States insignia be removed from our lend-lease equipment which the British troops were using against the rebellious natives.

The attitude we have adopted toward South East Asia is indicative of that we will pursue in that section of the world. In China through General Marshall, we are mediating to end the Civil War and to bring about a political understanding between the Nationalists and the so-called Communists under conditions that provide for free political activity and hold promise of the unification that has so long been desired. As soon as we can carry out our pledge to repatriate Japanese soldiers now in the area, we will withdraw and our troops brought home.

General Marshall's efforts at encouraging an accommodation between the Chinese groups are attended by difficulties naturally to have been expected. An ending of the civil warfare will be taken as a happy augury for unification, and, therefore, a contribution to world peace through stabilization of an area with a long history of internecine disturbances and foreign war.

Even though Russia is not being represented at the UNO meeting in London by a top-flight official delegation, the sessions are looked forward to hopefully for the laying of the groundwork that will make the security organization a real force for peace in a troubled world. Our delegation got off to a bad start through its division over the issue of the atomic bomb. It did not take the Secretary of State long after his arrival to iron out the misconceptions which had placed the delegation in an embarrassing light before the other nations. His assurances were along the lines of those he had given previously in Washington and to the effect that our security would be safeguarded at every step of the international consideration of the question of controlling atomic energy. As a former member of the Senate Mr. Byrnes did not have to be told that anything short of this would be useless, for otherwise the arrangement would founder when it reached Capitol Hill more swiftly and emphatically than did the Treaty of Versailles.

The disclosure by Ernest Bevin, the British foreign secretary, that his government will propose that UNO take over the whole refugee problem, including that of the Jews, confirms what has been evident ever since the move was first made for the hearings that are now being conducted by the joint Anglo-American commission on displaced Jews in Europe and on Palestine. Presumably the information the commission assembles through its hearings and observations in Washington, London, Germany, Austria and Palestine will be made available to UNO. It has until Spring to complete its report and by that time it is to be assumed that UNO will be in a position to take over. Such a consummation would obviously be a matter of great relief to Britain, which is so constantly embarrassed in the conduct of foreign affairs by the Palestine question, and for the administration in Washington, for whom it is a thorny domestic political problem.

Our recognition of the government of Austria was the result of the decisions reached by the Big Three concerning Austria but the President's reservation of the right to withdraw even conditional recognition from Rumania, Bulgaria and Yugoslavia strikes a new note. His assertion of the role of arbiter on the matter of observation in those countries of the democratic processes agreed upon at Yalta has served to repudiate a widespread belief that the standards had been modified at Moscow. It was a sorely needed statement of clarification, even though it may not have been a qualification of understandings reached in Moscow by the secretary of state.

His bracketing at a press conference of Yugoslavia with the other two as a state that has been granted conditional recognition is interesting. There appeared to be no qualification at the time in our notice of recognition to Marshal Tito, though as an aside we told Yugoslavia of our disapproval of her undemocratic methods. However, the right of recognition carries with it always the right to withdraw the recognition whether it is conditional or outright. That the President would go so far except under extreme provocation, is to be doubted in view of our understandings with Russia.

ARMY GROUND FORCES. Consolidation of numerous service test boards into only three equipment boards has resulted in "streamlining" the process of developing superior weapons and equipment for the Ground Fighting team, according to General Jacob L. Devers, Commanding General, Army Ground Forces.

Designated as Army Ground Forces Boards Numbers 1, 2, and 3, these three boards, as previously reported in the *ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL*, consolidate or replace the Anti-Aircraft Artillery, Coast Artillery, Field Artillery, Armored, Infantry, Cavalry, Tank Destroyer, Airborne, Rocket, and Landing Vehicle Boards.

Board No. 1 is located at Fort Bragg, N. C., with Brig. Gen. Guy O. Kurtz, former division artillery commander of the 88th Infantry Division as president; Board No. 2 at Ft. Knox, Ky., with Brig. Gen. George A. Reed, Jr., former combat commander with the 6th Armored Division as president; and Board Number 3 at Ft. Benning, Ga.,

with Brig. Gen. Harlan N. Hartness, former assistant division commander of the 26th Infantry Division, as president.

Field branches of two boards are located: for Board Number 1, Ft. Monroe, Va., Ft. Bliss, Tex., and Orlando, Fla.; for Number 2, Ft. Riley, Kans., Ft. Ord, Calif., and Camp White, Ore.

V-Corps—Col. Thomas J. Ford, GSC, acting Chief of Staff V Corps, has been transferred to Army and Navy War College, Washington, D. C.

Officers who have recently been assigned are as follows: Col. Myron J. Conway, as AC of S, G-1; Col. Oliver C. Harvey, AC of S, G-4; Maj. Gerard E. Noble, G-3 Section; Maj. Leonard M. Dahl, Adjutant General's Section; Maj. John H. Green, Signal Section; Capt. Claire T. Grimes and Capt. Richard T. Batson, Engineer Section; Maj. J. T. Weatherspoon, Maj. Stover, and Lt. S. M. Cooper to Hq. Co.; Maj. Peter B. Tanous, Maj. J. O. Walt, and 1st Lt. T. J. Ashley to Quartermaster Sec.

Armored School—Maj. Gen. Hugh J. Caffey, commandant of the Armored School, has announced the appointment of Col. Frederick M. Thompson as director of the Wheeled Vehicle Department, succeeding Col. Harold Engerud. Col. Thompson has been director of the Training Literature and Reproduction Department.

Lt. Col. Rolland E. George succeeded Col. Thompson as director of the Training Literature and Reproduction Department.

The following officers have been assigned recently: Lt. Col. Harold G. Maynard, Tactics Department; Maj. Thomas C. Marmon, Maj. Crosby P. Miller, Captains Lester A. Brown, Francis G. Moffit and Albert A. Todd, all of the Wheeled Vehicle Department; Maj. Maurice H. Smith and Capt. Earl F. Baird, Full Track Department; Capt. Joseph J. Levett, 1st Lt. Thomas N. Breese, Jr., and 1st Lt. William G. Hunt, all of the Weapons Department; Capt. Wilburn L. Lester, Communication Department; 1st Lt. Lester R. Barnhill, Training Literature and Reproduction Department; 1st Lt. Charles W. Grinstead, Jr., and 1st Lt. Jack R. Smalley, Training Group, and 1st Lt. Harold B. Wetzel, School Troops.

Cavalry School—Lt. Col. Robert E. O'Brien, Jr., has been relieved from assignment with the Staff and Faculty, and transferred to Headquarters, Army Ground Forces.

Lt. Jesse J. Hurtt, has been attached unassigned to the separation center, Fort Leavenworth, Kans., for relief from active duty.

The following officers have reported for duty and placed on duty with School Troops: Capt. Oliver C. Swenson, Lt. Walter F. Sanders, and Lt. Leon A. Lamotte.

Lt. John R. MacNeille, has been relieved from the Staff and Faculty, and attached unassigned to the separation center, Fort Leavenworth, Kans., for relief from active duty.

Lt. Col. Glenn F. Rogers has been assigned to the Staff and Faculty, with duty in the Department of Tactics.

Capt. Paul T. Ingle has reported for duty and appointed acting commanding officer for the First Cavalry School Detachment.

Field Artillery School—Assignments to staff, faculty and detachment of the Field Artillery School were announced for the period 19 Dec. to 2 Jan. as follows: Adjutant General, WOJG Floyd H. Reynolds; S-3 Section, Capt. Howard K. Olson; Field Artillery School Detachment, Capts. Raymond Driskill, Ben C. Parrott and Lester A. Suhre and 1st Lt. Walter K. LaFond.

Also Air Training School: Lt. Col. Charles W. Lavever, Capts. William J. Carson, Harold D. Flynn, Francis W. Holden, Jr., Sidney N. Koerpel, Waldo B. Martin and James A. Shelton, 1st Lts. Charles W. Bourg, William E. Brown, Alma Chamberlain, Clarence E. Kingham, Harry Kirkwood, Charles L. Kureth, Jack P. MacEachern, Merlin H. Perry, Richard L. Peterson, Clarence E. Preble, Jack D. Rasmussen, Charles G. Sherwood, Thomas Staton, Robert E. Trigg, Perry West, Jr., Leland F. Wilhelm, Carl F. Wilkerson, Leland H. Willard and Harry W. Wiltse, Jr., and 2nd Lts. James L. Marteney, Ivan S. Slaughter, Jr., and Houston N. Tuel.

Department of Combined Arms: Lt. Col. Max E. Billingsley and George W. Gibbs, Maj. Kenneth P. Burns and David N. Roper.

Department of Communication: Maj. Albert W. Albrecht and Meyer L. Levey and Capt. Albert E. Barends, Jr., William C. Glover, Wilson C. P. Jones, Thurston L. Lee and Edwin W. Penning.

Department of Gunnery: Lt. Col. John R. Magnusson and Israel B. Washburn, Maj. Theodore E. Crocker, Conrad D. Field and John J. Killian and Capt. Myron L. Birnbaum and Phil E. Cafford.

Department of Motors: Maj. John W. Marshall, Gordon D. Murphy, Salvador F. Taranto and Arthur M. Wiecek, Capt. A. J. Lowe Simmons, 1st Lt. Arthur D. Tooke and 2nd Lt. Quincy C. McKlithan.

Department of Observation: 1st Lts. John J. Case and Dwain A. Treadwell and 2nd Lts. Jack N. Lincoln, Arthur R. Nadeau and Simon H. Sculnick.

Infantry School—Maj. Gen. John W. O'Daniel, Commandant of the School, presented two awards to Lt. Shirley Davidson at a formal review held recently.

Lt. Davidson received the Distinguished Service Cross for "extraordinary heroism in action in Malabon, Navatos and Manila, Luzon, Philippine Islands, from 12 Feb. to 24 Feb. 1945" and also was the recipient of the Bronze Star Medal.

NAVY PERSONNEL. Rear Adm. Lynde D. McCormick, USN, has relieved Vice Adm. Charles H. McMorris, USN, as Chief of Staff to the Commander-in-Chief, U. S. Pacific Fleet and Pacific Ocean Areas. Vice Admiral McMorris reported to the Navy Department in Washington for further assignment.

Other top ranking changes this week include the appointment of Admiral Thomas C. Kinkaid, as commander of the Eastern Sea Frontier. In addition to this Admiral Kinkaid will also have duty as commander of the Gulf Sea frontier. The Department also announced the assignment of Vice Admiral William L. Calhoun to the Office of the Chief of Naval Operations at Washington, D. C.

Admiral Robert H. Griffin has been named as Commander of Naval Forces in Japan while Rear Admirals John H. Cassidy and Osborne B. Hardison have been named commander of Carrier Divisions 1 and 5 respectively. Rear Admiral Ernest W. Litch has been assigned Commander of Carrier Division 4.

Rear Admiral William K. Harrill, will shortly take over command of Fleet Air, West Coast while Rear Admiral Clifton A. F. Sprague has been made commander of Carrier Division Three. Admiral Thomas E. Kipp has been assigned additional duty as supply officer in command at the Naval Barracks at Cleveland, Ohio.

Personnel who have been placed in command of ships include Capt. Chesley M. Ivans, in command of the USS Colusa; Comdr. Nells C. Johnson the USS Theodore E. Chandler; Comdr. Warren R. Thompson, Executive officer in charge of the USS Ticonderoga; Capt. Harry F. Miller has been made commander of Destroyer Squadron 13 with additional duty as commander of Destroyer Division 131.

Capt. Joseph W. Adams has been placed in command of the USS Arthur Middleton; Capt. Charles L. Carpenter the USS Mocking; Capt. Joseph L. Chapman the USS General George M. Randall; Capt. Cecil G. McKinley the USS Pawcatuck;

Capt. Robert E. Regan, the USS Franklin D. Roosevelt; Commander Theodore H. Brittan Engineer officer aboard the USS Midway and Comdr. William J. Collum, jr., Executive officer aboard the USS Frontier.

► **ARMY SERVICE FORCES. Medical Corps**—Brig. Gen. Raymond W. Bliss has been appointed Deputy Surgeon General to succeed Maj. Gen. George F. Lull, who requested retirement after 33 years of service in the Medical Department. In addition to his new responsibilities, General Bliss will continue to serve as Assistant Surgeon General and Chief of Operations Service.

Acting as agent for various national societies, the National Research Council is offering additional fellowships which are available to newly separated Medical Department officers holding M.D. or Ph.D. degrees. These fellowships are in the fields of cancer research and anesthesiology. Funds for the former are being provided by the American Cancer Society and administered by the National Research Council's newly appointed Committee on Growth. Fellowship stipends vary from \$2,000 to \$3,000 per year. They are intended for those, who as a rule, are under 34 years of age. While they are for a period of one year, they may be renewed.

More than 5,000 young medical officers will be called to active duty by 1 July 1946 as replacements for officers of the Medical Corps who are eligible for separation from the Service. These doctors, after receiving their academic training in medicine under the Army Specialized Training Program, are now completing their training by serving internships and residencies in civilian hospitals on an inactive status.

Two DeWitt General Hospital WAC units—the first in the Ninth Service Command to be so recognized—have been awarded the War Department Meritorious Service Unit plaque for "superior" performance of duty.

Veterinary Corps—Brig. Gen. Raymond A. Kelsner, for eight years Chief of the Veterinary Division of the Surgeon General's Office in the War Department, has been elected Dean of the School of Veterinary Medicine of the University of Pennsylvania by the University Trustees' Board of Medical Affairs.

According to Dr. George W. McClelland, President of the University, General Kelsner has been released from military service to accept the deanship and is expected to begin his work at the University this month.

Office of the Fiscal Director—Among the officers recently released from active duty but remaining with the Office of the Fiscal Director in civilian capacity are Mr. R. H. Fuchs (formerly Major F. D.) in the Accounts Division and Mr. C. G. Hardin, jr. (formerly Lt. Col. F. D.) who is joining the staff of the Army Central Field Fiscal Office in St. Louis, Mo., a Class IV installation of the Office of the Fiscal Director.

Officers recently assigned to the Office of the Fiscal Director, Washington, include: Lt. Col. W. O. Green; Maj. J. H. Rawles; Capt. C. M. Davis; Capt. H. S. Merrell; 1st Lt. R. E. Kesler.

Officers recently relieved from the Office of the Fiscal Director, Washington, include: Col. D. H. Tyson; Maj. R. H. Fuchs; Maj. F. R. Miller; Maj. E. D. Muir; Maj. J. E. Thomas; Maj. A. M. Wright; Capt. L. J. Goring; Capt. K. W. Wills.

Signal Corps—Brig. Gen. Stephen H. Sherrill, former Commanding General of the Eastern Signal Corps Training Center at Ft. Monmouth, N. J., is now on terminal leave prior to his retirement from the Army. His successor is Brig. Gen. Jerry V. Matejka.

Col. Herbert G. Messer has been designated Chief, Engineering Division, Office of the Chief Signal Officer, and Capt. Charles A. Darling has been designated Chief, Activations and Allowances Branch. Other assignments include Lt. Col. Samuel V. Tallman to Distribution Division, Lt. Col. Louis H. Mussler to Military Training Branch, Maj. George Scher to Administrative Management Branch, Capt. William Tanner, Jr., to Maintenance and Specifications Branch, and Capt. Garson Zausmer to Management Branch.

Brig. Gen. George I. Back has been designated Chief, Army Communications Service, Office of the Chief Signal Officer, succeeding Maj. Gen. Frank E. Stoner, now Assistant Chief Signal Officer.

Capt. Chester A. Rose has been named Chief of the Storage Division at the Lexington (Ky.) Signal Depot succeeding Maj. Walter E. Perkins who has been assigned as Commanding Officer of the Signal Corps Depot at San Antonio, Texas.

An improved type of loading coil for use in telephone circuits with rubber-covered field wire and long-range tactical wire has been developed. Designated as Loading Coil C-426, the new appliance is a 44-millihenry coil housed in a weather-proof case in such a manner as to provide electrical loading for extending the voice frequency of Wire W-110-B (field wire) and Wire W-143 (long-range tactical wire). It also serves as a connector between two adjacent lengths of wire and provides convenient access terminals for line testing. The unit weighs approximately 1½ pounds.

For "indomitable courage and heroic determination in the face of fanatical enemy resistance" at the Ludendorff Bridge in Germany, the 94th Signal Battalion has been awarded the Distinguished Unit Citation. The Battalion was charged with establishing and maintaining communications for units east of the Rhine. Wire-laying crews braved withering enemy fire and established an underwater cable for the telephonic direction of artillery. Although the cable was parted repeatedly by the swift current it was repaired each time.

Chemical Warfare Service—Brig. Gen. Charles E. Loucks has been appointed Director of Research and Development for the Chemical Warfare Service. Recently returned from Tokyo, where he was Chief Chemical Officer to General MacArthur, General Loucks supervised the disposition of chemical warfare supplies in the Pacific and the examination and evaluation of captured Japanese chemical warfare equipment. In an earlier assignment as Chief Chemical Warfare Field Representative in Manila, General Loucks was responsible for supplying the Army in the Pacific with chemical warfare materiel.

General Loucks was born in Mayfield, Calif., 29 June 1895. He attended Stanford University and was commissioned a second lieutenant, Coast Artillery Corps, in 1917, attaining the rank of captain in the 40th Coast Artillery (Railway) Regiment during World War I.

Quartermaster Corps—Surplus Army property valued at more than \$25,000,000 has been made available since V-J Day by the Jeffersonville Quartermaster Depot for disposal by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, it was announced by Brig. Gen. Guy I. Rowe, Commanding General of the installation. Of this amount approximately \$7,000,000 worth of stock has already been disposed of. The Jeffersonville Depot began declaring some property as surplus to its needs back in April 1944 because of the changing nature of the warfare and modifications in equipment that had made certain stock on hand obsolete.

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The Biennial Report of General of the Army George C. Marshall, Chief of Staff of the Army;

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The Second and Third War Reports of General of the Army H. H. Arnold, USA, Commanding General Army Air Forces;

The Final Report of General Brehon Somervell, USA, Commanding General Army Service Forces;

Official reports on Pearl Harbor: Finding of Facts, by a Navy Court of Inquiry, with endorsements by the Judge Advocate General of the Navy, Rear Adm. T. L. Gatch; Fleet Adm. E. J. King, Chief of Naval Operations; and the Secretary of the Navy; the Army Pearl Harbor Board Report and the statement thereon by the Secretary of War; together with the President's statement.

"An Account of the Development of Methods of Using Atomic Energy for Military Purposes," prepared by Dr. H. D. Smythe, chairman of the Department of Physics of Princeton University, (an official report written at the request of Maj. Gen. L. R. Groves, USA, who had charge of the entire atomic bomb project.)

These important and historic documents, many of which were subsequently printed and sold in book form, and, in addition, the 204-page, profusely illustrated "U. S. at War" volume, went to all subscribers of the Army and Navy Journal in addition to the complete weekly coverage of ALL SERVICE NEWS.

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 2d Lt. E. G. Cook, Springfield, Ill., to 2d Sv C, Ft. Dix, N. J.
 1st Lt. H. H. McGeem, Stockton, Calif., to 9th Sv C, Camp Beale, Calif.
 Maj. W. R. Harriman, Springfield, Mass., to 2d Sv C, Ft. Dix, N. J.
 2d Lt. G. A. Henning, Chicago, Ill., to Washington, D. C., Dept. State.
 Col. R. G. Ayers, San Francisco, Calif., to 9th Sv C, San Francisco, Calif.
 Capt. M. K. Arbaraham, Washington, D. C., to Arm'd Repl Pool, Ft. Knox, Ky.
 Capt. H. F. Breesley, Cp Pickett, Va., to Ord Repl Pool, Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md.

Maj. L. J. Casey, Washington, D. C., to Sch Mil Govt, Charlottesville, Va.
 Capt. R. F. Jernigan, Army Depot, Ga., to 5th Sv C, Toledo, Ohio.
 1st Lt. T. G. Keenan, Detroit, Mich., to 5th Sv C, Cp Atterbury, Ind.
 Col. R. S. Blodgett, West Roxbury, Mass., to OCO, Washington, D. C.
 Maj. E. I. Clay, Cp J. T. Robinson, Ark., to Hq 8th Sv C, Dallas, Tex.
 1st Lt. B. W. Chipman, Ft. Benning, Ga., to Ord Repl Pool Sch, Aberdeen, Md.
 Capt. W. G. Turner, Stockton, Calif., to 9th Sv C, Ft. MacArthur, Calif.
 Lt. Col. O. M. Ulm, Aberdeen, Md., to Washington, D. C.
 1st Lt. R. A. Von Wiegand, Chicago, Ill., to 5th Sv C, Cp Atterbury, Ind.
 Capt. E. Barren, Wilmington, Calif., to 9th Sv C, Ft. MacArthur, Calif.
 2d Lt. R. L. Anthony, Philadelphia, Pa., to Ft. Belvoir, Va.
 1st Lt. J. O. Sessions, Stockton, Calif., to 9th Sv C, Ft. MacArthur, Calif.
 1st Lt. L. R. Gilruth, Herlong, Calif., to 9th Sv C, Ft. MacArthur, Calif.
 Capt. J. R. Stamper, Igloo, S. Dak., to Ft. GG Meade, Md.

SIGNAL CORPS

1st Lt. G. Hubley, Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to 3d Sv C, Ft. Eustis, Va.
 2d Lt. J. L. Ducker, Camp Beale, Calif., to Hq 9th Sv C, Ft. Douglas, Utah.
 1st Lt. B. R. Espedal, Sacramento, Calif., to 9th Sv C, Camp Beale, Calif.
 Lt. Col. E. C. Coffin, Camp Gordon, Ga., to Sig C Repl Pool, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.
 2d Lt. M. P. Clapp, Cp Detrick, Md., to Hq 8th Sv C, Dallas, Tex.
 1st Lt. S. Friedenber, Baltimore, Md., to 3d Sv C, Ft. G. G. Meade, Md.
 1st Lt. A. A. Ricciardelli, Baltimore, Md., to 3d Sv C, Ft. G. G. Meade, Md.
 Capt. J. Ruffley, Jr., Cp Gruber, Okla., to Hq 3d Sv C, Baltimore, Md.
 1st Lt. J. Hill, New York City, to 2nd Sv C, CWDP, Ft. Dix, N. J.
 1st Lt. H. D. Barkan, Cp Lee, Va., to 2nd Sv C, Ft. Tilden, N. Y.
 2d Lt. L. J. Lopovsky, San Francisco, Calif., to 9th Sv C, Tacoma, Wash.
 Lt. Col. R. B. H. Rockwell, Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to AAF Base Unit, Red Bank, N. J.
 Capt. F. Reinsteil, Washington, D. C., to Repl Pool, Ft. Belvoir, Va.
 1st Lt. J. C. Sindelar, Philadelphia, Pa., to 702nd MP Bn., Ft. G. G. Meade, Md.
 2d Lt. Tervey, Jr., Monterey, Calif., to HRPE, Norfolk Army Base, No 1011
 Capt. J. H. Kelley, Washington, D. C., to Tng Center, Camp Crowder, Mo.
 Capt. F. G. Johnson, Gleason, Ky., to Army Security Agency, Arlington, Va.
 Col. P. W. Shunk, McClellan Fld, Calif., to ASF Pers Repl Depot, Cp Beale, Calif.
 1st Lt. Farrell M. Scott, Washington, D. C., to WD Sig Center, Washington, D. C.
 1st Lt. E. W. Howse, Arlington, Va., to 4th Sv C, WDPC, Ft. McPherson, Ga.
 2d Lt. H. C. Redding, Arlington, Va., to MD W AMC, Washington, D. C.
 2d Lt. R. S. Otto, Baltimore, Md., to MDW, Washington, D. C.
 1st Lt. R. E. Burton, Baltimore, Md., to 2d Sv C, WDPC, Ft. Dix, N. J.
 2d Lt. K. F. Johnson, Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to 2d Sv C, Ft. Dix, N. J.
 2d Lt. R. E. Taubman, Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to Fitzsimons GH, Denver, Colo.
 Maj. L. Q. Moss, Wash., D. C., to Inf and Ed Div., New York, N. Y.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

Lt. Col. R. J. Trout, Chicago, Ill., to ARA Off., New York, N. Y.
 Capt. H. F. Gillie, Cp Atterbury, Ind., to Hq 9th Sv C, Ft. Douglas, Utah.
 Lt. Col. J. H. Davin, Cp Chaffee, Ark., to Hq 8th Sv C, Dallas, Tex.
 1st Lt. T. D. Smith, Ft. Benj. Harrison, Ind., to Cent. Fld. Fis. Off., St. Louis, Mo.

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Ind., to Cent. Fld. Fis. Off., St. Louis, Mo.
 Maj. Z. Kuthy, Chicago, Ill., to Off. Sp. Set. Accts., New York, N. Y.
 Maj. C. R. Forsberg, Phoenixville, Pa., to 2d Sv C, Watervliet Arsenal, N. Y.
 Maj. A. C. Schneider, Dallas, Tex., to Hq 9th Sv C, Ft. Douglas, Utah.
 Maj. L. E. Kelly, Washington, D. C., to Dept. State, Washington, D. C.
 Capt. F. G. Wagner, Ft. B. Harrison, Ind., to ASF Tng Center, Ft. B. Harrison, Ind.
 Maj. J. C. Young, Washington, D. C., to FD Repl Pool, Ft. Benj. Harrison, Ind.

CHAPLAINS CORPS

Lt. Col. W. C. Shure, Ft. Ord, Calif., to Ft. Ogilthorpe, Ga.
 Capt. M. T. McGregor, Cp Crowder, Mo., to Hq 8th Sv C, Dallas, Tex.
 1st Lt. B. A. Crill, Cp Shelby, Miss., to Hq 4th Sv C, Atlanta.
 Capt. R. O. Feather, Cp Crowder, Mo., to Hq 8th Sv C, Dallas, Tex.
 Capt. G. L. Alderman, Cp Breckinridge, Ky., to 7th Sv C, Omaha.
 1st Lt. A. M. Finnegan, New Orleans, to LAPE, Wilmington, Calif.
 1st Lt. P. D. VanDyke, Brooklyn, N. Y., to SEPE, Seattle, Wash.
 Capt. A. H. Giuliano, Cp Crowder, Mo., to Hq 5th Sv C, Ft. Hayes, Ohio.
 Capt. O. H. McKenney, Jr., Cp Cooke, Calif., to Hq 1st Sv C, Boston.
 Maj. E. S. Dorsey, Cp Crowder, Mo., to O'Reilly GH, Springfield, Mo.
 Capt. N. C. Dirkee, Cp Atterbury, Ind., to 9th Sv C, Cp Roberts, Calif.
 Lt. Col. L. O. Sheffield, Somerset, Ky., to Ch Repl Pool, New Orleans, La.

CHEMICAL WARFARE SERVICE

1st Lt. J. W. Croft, Baltimore, Md., to CWS Repl Pool, Edgewood Arsenal, Md.
 1st Lt. E. G. Courage, Cp Claiborne, La., to 3d Sv C, Ft. G. G. Meade, Md.
 Maj. L. T. Lazzarini, Staunton, Va., to Edgewood Arsenal, Md.
 Capt. J. A. Richardson, Cp Polk, La., to OCCWS, Washington, D. C.
 2nd Lt. D. S. Brown, Cp Swift, Tex., to Gd and Sec Div., Edgewood Arsenal, Md.
 Lt. Col. C. E. Grant, Ft. Dix, N. J., to CW Center, Edgewood Arsenal, Md.
 Maj. W. T. Hunt, Edgewood Arsenal, Md., to Hq III Corps, Cp Polk, La.
 1st Lt. C. C. Gillispie, Cp Shelby, Miss., to CW Center, Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

TRANSPORTATION CORPS

2nd Lt. C. S. Townshend, Norfolk, Va., to Sch Mil Govt., Charlottesville, Va.
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MRS. Robert Patterson, wife of the Secretary of War, was hostess at luncheon in honor of Mrs. Truman, the President's wife, Wednesday at her home, 1511 33rd Street.

Mrs. Patterson was also a hostess when on Tuesday she entertained at tea some of the officers of the Jango Association, which she helped to found.

The Navy this week commended the American Women's Voluntary Services for their outstanding work in aiding with Navy transportation problems.

Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Air John L. Sullivan presented a Certificate of Achievement citing their work to Mrs. Alice T. McLean of New York, president of the National AWVS, at ceremonies in the Navy Department.

Maj. Gen. L. D. Gasser, USA-Ret., and Mrs. Gasser left Washington by motor on 4 Jan., for Clearwater, Fla., where they will be at the Clearwater Beach Hotel for two months.

The Army and Navy Chapter, D. A. R., will hold its regular monthly meeting at the Chapter House on Monday, 14 Jan., at 2 P. M. The Regent, Mrs. Rex H. Rhoades, will preside.

The guest speaker, Dr. Nyla Izzeddin of Beirut, Lebanon, will speak on "An Arabian View on Palestine."

An informal tea will follow the meeting.

The annual meeting of the Army-Navy Memorial Aid Society will be held at the Army & Navy Club in Washington, D. C., 16 Jan. The business meeting will be followed by tea.

There will be the annual election of of-

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MRS. HAAKEN LINDJORD, who before her recent marriage to Major Lindjord, USA, was Lt. (jg) Nancy Priscilla Lancaster, USCGR(W).

Officers and a discussion of the future plans of the Society, based on the post-war relief plans of the Army and Navy. A representative of the Army Emergency Relief will address the meeting and outline how the Army-Navy Memorial Aid can cooperate with the other relief organizations of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps.

The national officers are: Hon. Pres., Mrs. George C. Marshall; Pres., Miss Julia Flebeger; Vice Pres., Mrs. E. S. Kellogg; Mrs. Lawrence Tweedy; Mrs. Roy T. Morris; Mrs. Claude W. Dudley; Treas., The Washington Loan & Trust Co. of Washington; Asst. Treas., General Charles D. Roberts; Rec. Sect., Mrs. Lem M. Grant; and Cor. Sect., Mrs. Charles D. Roberts.

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Weddings and Engagements

BRIG. Gen. and Mrs. Joseph S. Robinson, Ft. Bragg, N. C., announce the engagement of his daughter, Odile Eleanor, to Cadet Thomas Moore Huddleston, Class of 1946 USMA, son of Mrs. J. M. Huddleston and the late Col. Huddleston, MC, Washington, D. C.

Comdr. and Mrs. Carl L. Eaton of Winchester, Mass., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Janet Cary Eaton, to Mr. John Ayer Maynard, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Alston Maynard, also of Winchester.

Miss Eaton, a debutante of the 1943-44 season was graduated from Lasell Junior College last June.

Mr. Maynard who is a graduate of Bordentown Military Institute, class of 1943, will be graduated from Massachusetts Institute of Technology under the V-12 program in February.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Elizabeth Hollett and Midshipman Winfield Spencer Smith.

The bride-elect is the daughter of the late Maj. Rhey T. Hollett, Cav., USA.

The bridegroom-to-be is the son of Col. and Mrs. Stanton T. Smith who are stationed at Fresno, Calif., and formerly at Brooks Field where Colonel Smith was commanding officer.

From St. Louis, Mo., comes word of the marriage of Miss Marie Elizabeth Boucher, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Francis Henry Boucher of Ft. Sill, Okla., and Maj. John Marvin Kinser, USA, stationed at Ft. Bragg, N. C., the ceremony being performed 1 Dec. in the Church of St. Michael and St. George, with the Rev. John Francis Sant officiating.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was gown in white marquisette. Tiers of ruffles featured the bouffant skirt from the waist to the end of the long train and her veil was held by a Dutch bonnet of hand-made lace. Her flowers were white orchids, roses and stephanotis.

Mrs. Ninian M. Edwards was matron of honor. The best man was Maj. Willard R. Van Liew of Ft. Sill.

The betrothal of Miss Verna E. Perry and Mr. William J. Siersma was recently announced by her parents, Lt. Col. Clifford H. Perry, ret., and Mrs. Perry at a holiday party at their home in Bradenton, Fla. No date has been announced for the wedding.

Lt. Col. Nottley Young Duhamel, USA-ret., and Mrs. Duhamel, announce the engagement of their daughter Mab Norton Duhamel to Capt. James Knox Cockrell, USA, the son of Col. James Knox Cockrell, USA, and Mrs. Cockrell. Miss Duhamel is the granddaughter of Mr. James F. Duhamel of Washington, D. C. and also of Mrs. O. M. Barber and the late Judge Barber of Washington, D. C. and Bennington, Vt. She is a graduate of Holton Arms Junior College.

Captain Cockrell is the grandson of Mrs. Fulton Lewis of Washington, D. C. and also of Mr. A. W. Cockrell, jr. of Jacksonville, Fla. He was graduated from the United States Military Academy in the class of 1942. He served with the 82nd Airborne Division in Europe and is now on duty at the War Department in Washington. Lieutenant Colonel Duhamel and Colonel Cockrell were both members of

the class of 1916, United States Military Academy.

Miss Betty Burel Gunn, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Claud T. Gunn, became the bride of Ens. Charles Walter Gilbert, USNR, of Glen-Ellyn, Ill., on 19 Dec. at the Little Chapel of the Glenn Memorial Church in Atlanta, Ga.

Orville M. Graves, Jr., of Princeton, Ind., was best man. Miss Beverly Davidson was the bride's only attendant.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a wedding gown of white chiffon velvet, fashioned on princess lines. Her veil of illusion was attached to a cap of rose point lace. She carried an arm bouquet of white roses.

After the ceremony, Colonel and Mrs. Gunn entertained at a reception at their home in Decatur, Ga.

The couple will reside in Long Beach, Calif., where the bridegroom will be stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Otis Brown announce the engagement of their daughter, Martha Virginia, to Ens. Jack Gilbert Gullette, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Gullette of Los Angeles, Calif.

Miss Brown attended Saint Cecilia's Academy and The American Institute of Banking in Washington.

Ensign Gullette attended Ball State College and is a graduate of the United States Naval Academy, Class of 1946. The wedding will take place in the Spring.

Col. and Mrs. Leo B. Conner of Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., announce the marriage of their daughter, Ruth Eileen, to Maj. Michael Joseph Lenihan Greene, son of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Douglass T. Greene of Philadelphia.

The ceremony took place New Year's Day, at 8:30 a.m., in St. Ignatius Chapel on the post.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Miriam Conner, and Maj. P. H. Tansey, Jr., a classmate of Major Greene at West Point, was best man.

The bride and bridegroom left immediately after the ceremony for a honeymoon trip in the East.

Rear Adm. and Mrs. James L. Holloway, Jr., of Arlington, Va., announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean Gordon, to Lt. Laurence Heyworth, Jr., USN. The marriage will take place in early February, in St. Paul's Church, Alexandria.

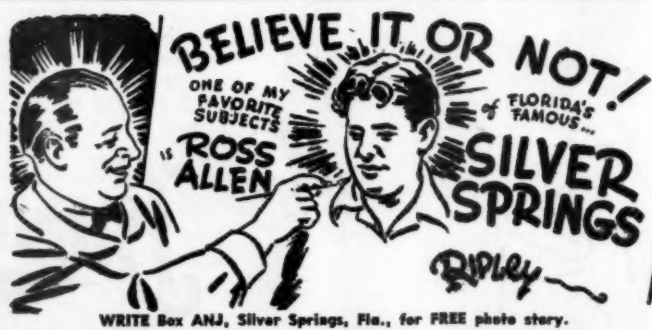
Miss Holloway is the granddaughter of Maj. Gen. Johnson Hagood, ret., and Mrs. Hagood, of Charleston, S. C. She attended St. Catherine's School in Richmond, and graduated from Holton Arms School in Washington. During the war, she helped organize the first group of Jangoes to work in hospitals, and was the first chairman of that group.

Lieutenant Heyworth is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Heyworth of Chicago, Ill. He attended the Harvard School for Boys in Chicago, and graduated from the United States Naval Academy in June, 1942. He served in submarines in the Pacific during the last two years of the war.

Col. and Mrs. Edgar A. O'Hair, FA-ret., announce the marriage of their daughter, Edna Ward O'Hair Gambill, to Capt. Butler B. Toland, Jr., Army Air Corps, on Thursday, 27 Dec., in Little Rock, Ark.

Mrs. Toland attended the universities of Texas, Florida and Duke and was graduated from the University of North Carolina in 1942. She is a member of the Tri Delta sorority.

Captain Toland attended the University of North Carolina (Please turn to Page 646)



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ANNAPOLIS, MD.

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Lt. Aubrey W. Fitch, Jr., USN, is visiting his parents, Rear Adm. and Mrs. Aubrey W. Fitch, at the Superintendent's quarters, Naval Academy.

Capt. and Mrs. Donald Giles left yesterday to spend several weeks in Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands.

Mrs. St. Clair Smith, widow of Admiral Smith, USN, entertained last Wednesday afternoon at her home on Southgate Ave.

Col. James G. Taylor, USA, and Mrs. Taylor gave an egg-nogg party on New Year's day at their home in Eastport.

Comdr. and Mrs. Donald Todd entertained at a large party last Thursday afternoon at the Officers Mess, Naval Academy.

Capt. Walter Holt, USN has been spending a short leave with Mrs. Holt and his daughters the Misses Harriet and Brooke Holt, at their apartment on Prince George St.

Lt. and Mrs. Phillip Holt Lowry have returned to their quarters at the Naval Academy after spending the holidays in Philadelphia, New York and Greenwich, Conn.

Capt. and Mrs. Theron Hartung came from Washington to attend the party given by Col. and Mrs. James G. Taylor on New Year's Day.

NORFOLK, VA.

10 Jan. 1946

Lt. and Mrs. William M. Wilson, of Ft. Monroe, were guests of honor this week at a beautiful tea given by Mrs. Essie Ray Wilson, mother of Lieutenant Wilson, at her home in Riverview.

Miss Ann Gough, whose marriage to Lt. Samuel George Leonard Hitch, USNR, took place last Saturday, was honored Monday at a luncheon given at the Norfolk Yacht and Country Club, by Miss Mary Clark Hogan.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Alexander Pearson have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Susan Dixon Pearson, to Lt. Comdr. Greene Ramsey Berkeley, Jr., USN, on Saturday, 19 Jan. in St. Paul's Church, Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia.

Col. and Mrs. Eldon Valden Hunt, of Colorado Springs, Colo., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Norma Jane Hunt, to Lt. Catl Mosby Gray, AAF, son of Mr. and Mrs. Belfrad Mosby Gray of Norfolk. Lieutenant Gray served overseas with the Eighth Air Force. He is now stationed at Peterson Field, Colorado Springs.

No date has been set for the wedding. Dr. and Mrs. Winfield E. Wight of Thomaston, Conn., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Marian Elizabeth Wight, to Lt. John Upton, Jr., AAF, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Upton of Norfolk.

Lieutenant Upton is stationed at Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio.

Admiral and Mrs. Joseph Taussig are visiting Mrs. Taussig's sister and brother-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Warren White at their home on Fairfax Avenue.

PANAMA CANAL DEPT.

28 Dec. 1945

Brig. Gen. Edgar H. Underwood, one of the original Jungle Mudders who pioneered Panama's extensive Coast Artillery defenses, prepared today to relinquish command of the Atlantic Sector, Panama Canal Department, and the 75th Anti-Aircraft brigade of the Panama Coast Artillery Command.

General Underwood, accompanied by his wife, Mrs. Ethel Underwood and aide de

camp, Lt. Edward L. Gaylord, will sail 1 Jan. aboard the La Playa, United Fruit Company liner, for the United States to receive a new assignment.

"Exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services as commanding general of the 75th Anti-Aircraft Brigade, Fort Gulick and commandant of the Atlantic Sector from 6 Oct. 1944, until the present," won for General Underwood the Legion of Merit.

The general's wife, Mrs. Ethel Underwood, and his son, Robert Underwood, reside at 431 Reed St., Tuscaloosa, Ala. Another son, Maj. Edgar H. Underwood, Jr., is a surgeon at the Colon Hospital here. General Underwood's father, R. H. Underwood, lives at Knoxville, Tenn., where the general was born 29 Aug. 1893.

Col. Enrique M. Benitez, commanding officer of the 88th Anti-Aircraft Artillery group, will assume command of the 75th Anti-Aircraft Artillery Brigade.

STOUT FIELD, IND.

7 Jan. 1946

A veteran of 26 years in military finance work and a "Charter Member" of the Army Finance Department, which was organized in 1920, Col. Alfred N. Bailey has been assigned as Finance Officer to the IX Troop Carrier Command. Colonel Bailey enlisted in March, 1917, near his home at Denver, Colo., and served through the first World War in the Intelligence Service.

Maj. Charles Y. Davidson, 28-year-old veteran of IX Troop Carrier Command campaigns in the European Theater, has returned to the command of Maj. Gen. Paul L. Williams as assistant Adjutant General of the Stout Field headquarters. Major Davidson, a Regular Army man who enlisted in 1936, just after finishing high school at his Miland, Ind., home, spent eleven months with the Iceland Base Command before joining IX Troop Carrier Command in England.

Assignment of Lt. Col. Ivan I. Hawes as Command Provost Marshal has been announced by Maj. Gen. Paul L. Williams, commanding general of the IX Troop Carrier Command. A native of Portland, Ore., Colonel Hawes is a veteran of two years of service in the Central Pacific Theater as an AAF combat intelligence officer.

Before his overseas assignment, Colonel Hawes was Commandant of Cadets at the Oxnard, Calif., flying training school. He later took over duties as intelligence officer at Roswell Field.

T/Sgt. Arthur R. Rice, who had been Mess Sergeant of the IX Troop Carrier Command mess hall since it opened early in 1942, has re-enlisted and transferred to Randolph Field, Tex., for reassignment.

Newly assigned as First Sergeant of Squadron A of the 814th AAF Base Unit at IX Troop Carrier Command headquarters at Stout Field is F/Sgt. Cline M. Stephens. Until 4

Sept. 1945, he was a second lieutenant and glider pilot for the AFTCC.

Capt. and Mrs. Don R. Kohl had a good laugh with fellow officers at IX Troop Carrier Command headquarters after he finished "sweating out" a new item of issue, daughter Donna Jeanne Kohl. Captain Kohl, head of the Quartermaster section, announced the new arrival as follows: "New issue was on hand December 1, weighed 6 pounds, 14 ounces, and was classified Donna Jeanne Kohl. The origination and Quartermaster Depot in this case was the Base Hospital at Stout Field."

FORT BENNING, GA.

7 Jan. 1946

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. John W. O'Daniel were hosts at a Christmas party for the sons and daughters, and brothers and sisters of college age, of officers of The Infantry School, held 23 Dec. at the Polo-Hunt Club, Fort Benning. In the receiving line were General O'Daniel, Commandant of The Infantry School; Mrs. O'Daniel, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Harvey P. Groesbeck, Miss Patricia Chamberlain and Capt. Earl Carran.

The college girls present were: Jane Crea Blizzard, Jacqueline ReQua, Jessie M. Sander-son, Betty Lucas, Theresa K. Deane, Marie R. Colston, Mary Ann Galloway, Patton Galloway, Martha M. Thompson, Jean Aaron, Charlotte Fariss, Connie Freund, Katherine Mitchell, Barbara Sproesser, Anne Sproesser, Emily Albert and Susanne Robinson.

Also Ann Buraker, Edwina Elliott and Judy Bell. Four Cadets were present: Robert Clemenson, Milton A. Strain, John Watkins and John E. Pitts, Jr.

Army Daughters and other guests present included: Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Ralph L. Talbot, Lt. Col. and Mrs. F. R. Weber, Col. and Mrs. J. V. Thompson, Col. and Mrs. James Counts, Colonel Galloway, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Earl F. Holton, Lt. and Mrs. Sam Jenkins, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Clair B. Mitchell, Miss Joe Ann Zimmerman, Miss Veronica Neiderpruem, Miss Bolling Buraker, Miss Patricia Chamberlain, Lt. and Mrs. Donald A. Butler, Mrs. E. W. Norwood, Miss Margaret Aaron, Miss Barbara Overfelt, Miss Martha Eddy, Miss Nancy McDonough, Miss Jo Frederick, Mrs. Bagby, Mrs. William Brown, Captain and Mrs. Lujack, Miss Betty Collins and Miss Charlotte Knaesser.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. John W. O'Daniel were hosts at an "At Home" on New Year's Day, entertaining at their quarters, the plantation home of the Commandant of The Infantry School. A tradition of long standing, this New Year's party was resumed for the first time since the war.

Prominent citizens of Columbus, leaders among Fort Benning personnel, and Latin

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American officers who are students in The Infantry School, attended.

ATSC, WRIGHT FIELD, O.

7 Jan. 1946

Brig. Gen. Charles E. Thomas, Chief of Administration, Air Technical Service Command, since October 1945, has received orders transferring him to the Mobile Air Technical Service Command, Mobile, Ala., where he will head the organization. General Thomas leaves in a few days for his new post.

Prior to coming to Headquarters ATSC General Thomas served as Deputy Commander for Operations, AAF Pacific Ocean Area from October 1944, to October 1945. From May 1944, until October of the same year he was Deputy Chief of Staff for the 21st Bomber Command.

General Thomas is a native of Atlanta, Ga. One son, Charles E. Thomas III, a graduate of West Point and 2nd Lt. in the Air Corps, was lost at sea in April 1942, while on a training flight. A second son is Robert William Thomas. Mrs. Thomas will join the General in Mobile.

In the Dayton Grace Methodist Church, Miss Janet Mildred Sampson was married Saturday, 28 Dec. at 7:30 o'clock to Maj. R. C. Hoewing of Wright Field. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irving C. Sampson of Dayton and Major Hoewing is the son of A. E. Hoewing of Canton, Mo. The Rev. Robert B. Foster read the double ring ceremony. The wedding reception, an attractive affair, was held in the Church parlor.

Major and Mrs. Hoewing, upon returning from a wedding trip, will reside in Dayton. Major Hoewing has been stationed with the Air Technical Service Command for some time having been decorated with the Air Medal for foreign service about a year ago.

Miss Elizabeth Hughes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Hughes of Deep Hollow Road, Dayton, has chosen 17 Jan. as the date of her marriage to Capt. E. M. Denham, son of Mr. Robert H. Denham of Grand Rapids, Mich. Captain Denham is stationed at Wright Field. The wedding will take place at 8:30 p. m. at the home of the bride's parents.

Attending Miss Hughes as Matron of Honor will be Mrs. Phillip Sheridan (Patricia Coleman). The bridesmaids will be Mrs. Robert H. Tuttle (Mary Ramsey) of Chicago, Miss Georgianna Oslas and Miss Constance Outh-walt of Columbus, Ohio, cousins of the bride elect and Miss Eleanor Turner; Miss Barbara Burkam, another cousin, will be flower girl. Dr. Robert Denham, Jr., will serve Captain Denham as best man.

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Weddings and Engagements

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sity of Arkansas and is a member of the Sigma Chi fraternity. He is stationed at the Army Air Base in La Junta, Colo.

Capt. Alexander Wotherspoon, USN, and Mrs. Barry announce the engagement of their daughter, Anne Parker, to Ens. Hugh Bell Ogburn, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Ogburn of Bryn Mawr, Pa.

Col. David S. Barry, USMC-Ret., and Mrs. Barry announce the engagement of their daughter Frances Oliver to B. Gordon Dickey, son of Mrs. Newbold Noyes of Washington, and Mr. Robert B. Dickey, Tuxedo.

Col. and Mrs. Ernest A. Rudelius announce the marriage of their daughter, Jeanne, to Lt. Carey J. Land, AAF, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ashby B. Land, of Virginia and Tennessee, 3 Jan., at Walter Reed Memorial Chapel, with Maj. Gen. Luther D. Miller, Chief of Chaplains, USA, officiating.

The bride wore a pastel blue suit with brown accessories, and her corsage was of white orchids. Miss Josephine Skinner, of Washington, D. C., was maid of honor, and Flight Officer William A. Land, U. S. AAF, brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

Mrs. Land is a graduate of Punahau Academy, Honolulu, Hawaii. She attended Edgewood Park Junior College, Briarcliff, New York, and graduated from the University of Maryland, where she became a member of Delta Delta Delta Sorority. Lieutenant Land attended V.P.I. before entering the Service.

Mrs. John J. Burleigh, of Washington, announces the engagement of her daughter, Marion, to Mr. Eric Bellingall, the wedding to take place early next month.

Miss Burleigh is the daughter of the late Col. John J. Burleigh, USA; the granddaughter of Gen. Charles M. O'Connor, USA; the great-granddaughter of Maj. Henry O'Connor, USA; and Col. Theodore J. Eckerson, USA; and is the sister of Mrs. Harry Van Wyk, wife of Colonel Van Wyk now serving on the staff of General MacArthur in Tokyo. She is also the niece of Col. Charles M. O'Connor, USA, and of Col. Edwin O'Connor, USA, a recently released prisoner of the Japanese.

The marriage of Miss Jane Morss and Capt. Stewart Canfield Meyer, USA, took place Monday, 17 Dec., at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hume Morss, Elmira, N. Y.

The bridegroom is the son of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Vincent Meyer now residing at The Chesterfield Apartments, Richmond, Va.

The bride is a graduate of Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, Pa. The bridegroom attended Episcopal High School, Alexandria, Va., and is a graduate of USMA, class of January, 1943.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hugh Smith have announced the marriage of their daughter, Marie Smith Crute, to Maj. Eustace Jack Wallace, jr., USA, on Tuesday, 1 Jan. at the Eighth Street Christian Church, Greenville, N. C.

Army Orders

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1st Lt. J. P. Armstrong, Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo., to SFPE, Ft. Mason, Calif.
Capt. N. E. Webb, Washington, D. C., to Hq 9th Transportation Z, Salt Lake City, U.
1st Lt. P. G. Weatherby, Baltimore, Md., to NYPE, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Lt. Col. J. B. Whitener, Ft. Riley, Kans., to 4th Sv C, Ft. Bragg, N. C.
Maj. J. K. Healy, Ft. Mason, Calif., to PMGO, Washington, D. C.

1st Lt. M. D. Slattery, Cp Myles Standish, Mass., to Sch Mil Govt., Charlottesville, Va.
1st Lt. B. L. Morris, Lexington, Va., to OC of S, Washington, D. C.

2nd Lt. F. L. Corrado, Baltimore, Md., to SEPE, Seattle, Wash.

Capt. D. M. Kerley, Lexington, Va., to Sp Services Repl Pool, Cp Lee, Va.
2nd Lt. G. W. Leaner, Ft. Devens, Mass., to SEPE, Seattle, Wash.

Maj. E. W. Strawn, Washington, D. C., to Det. of Patients, Hines, Ill.

Capt. D. M. Kerley, Baltimore, Md., to 3d Sv C, Ft. G. Meade, Md.

Capt. C. R. Setzman, Washington, D. C., to SEPE, Ft. Mason, Calif.

CORPS OF MILITARY POLICE

Maj. T. L. Sullivan, Wash., D. C., to Sch Mil Govt., Charlottesville, Va.

1st Lt. E. J. Plunkett, Ft. Sheridan, Ill., to PMGO, New York.

1st Lt. R. M. Ehrhart, Ft. Myer, Va., to Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

1st Lt. Peter Waldo, Ft. G. G. Meade, Md., to 2d Sv C, Governors Island, N. Y.

Lt. Col. J. C. Jackson, Atlanta, to Disct. 6, 4th Sv C, Birmingham, Ala.

1st Lt. A. P. Blaustein, Baltimore, Md., to Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

1st Lt. J. W. Liddle, Philadelphia, Pa., to PW Inf. Bureau, Ft. G. G. Meade, Md.

Lt. Col. J. B. Donaghy, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to 2d Sv C, Ft. Dix, N. J.

Capt. R. Hortensine, jr., Dallas, Tex., to 5th Sv C, Ft. Knox, Ky.

2nd Lt. R. P. Trice, Wash., D. C., to Det.

of Patients, Ft. Belvoir, Va.
2nd Lt. W. L. Dodd, Ft. Devens, Mass., to 2d Sv C, Stormville, N. Y.
2nd Lt. P. H. D'Angelo, Brigham, Utah, to 739th MP Bn., Camp Haan, Calif.
Maj. T. D. Walker, Salem, Ore., to OC of S, Washington, D. C.

CAVALRY

2nd Lt. C. R. Brach, Ft. Knox, Ky., to 3d Sv C, Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md.

1st Lt. L. H. Gelsinger, Cp Hood, Tex., to 2d Sv C, USA Retg. Sv, New York, N. Y.

Col. H. H. Frost, Coral Gables, Fla., to OC of S, Washington, D. C.

Capt. F. C. McKnight, Lexington, Va., to OC of S, Wash., D. C.

Capt. L. T. Hansen, Ft. Knox, Ky., to Det. 2, Univ. Ill., Champaign.

1st Lt. M. F. Thompson, Baltimore, Md., to Armd Rep Pool, Ft. Knox, Ky.

Maj. A. J. Berson, Cp Edwards, Mass., to 1st Sv C, USA Retg Sv, Ft. Banks, Mass.

Capt. D. L. Barton, Ft. Knox, Ky., to Army Sec. Agency, Arlington, Va.

Lt. Col. D. T. Vanderhoof, Washington, D. C., to MI Tng Center, Cp Ritchie, Md.

Capt. C. T. Baldwin, Ft. Jackson, S. C., to MI Tng Center, Cp Ritchie, Md.

Col. Dana W. Johnston, Ft. Riley, Kans., to WDGS OC of S, Wash., D. C.

Capt. J. J. Mick, Elizabethtown, Ky., to AWC, Washington, D. C.

1st Lt. J. R. Pate, jr., Ft. Knox, Ky., to 4th Sv C, Ft. McPherson, Ga.

Col. A. T. Lacey, Ft. Riley, Kans., to Hq 5th Sv C, Ft. Hayes, Ohio.

Capt. E. V. McClellan, Lexington, Va., to Sp Services, New York City.

Maj. T. F. Mishou, Ft. Riley, Kans., to 9th Sv C, Camp Beale, Calif.

FIELD ARTILLERY

Capt. A. W. Crowell, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio.

Capt. F. R. Grable, Ft. Sill, Okla., to Univ. Calif., Berkeley, Calif.

1st Lt. G. O. Chambers, Ft. Sill, Okla., to AGD AGO, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. A. C. Honold, Baltimore, Md., to 9th Sv C, Ft. MacArthur, Calif.

1st Lt. F. B. Dykes, Jr., Ft. Sill, Okla., to 5th Sv C, U. S. Army Retg. Dist., Cleveland, Ohio.

1st Lt. L. R. Dalrymple, Baltimore, Md., to Ft. Bragg.

1st Lt. J. F. Wilson, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to 5th Sv C, Cleveland, Ohio.

2nd Lt. J. I. Shamberg, Baltimore, Md., to Ft. Bragg, N. C.

1st Lt. W. B. Merchant, Temple, Tex., to Repl Pool, Ft. Sill, Okla.

Lt. Col. J. A. Kelley, Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo., to Repl Pool, Ft. Sill, Okla.

1st Lt. I. G. Olson, Camp Campbell, Ky., to 8th Sv C, Camp Chaffee, Ark.

Capt. E. J. Wilcox, Ft. Sill, Okla., to USMA, West Point, N. Y.

1st Lt. N. H. Garrick, Baltimore, Md., to 1st Sv C, Ft. Devens, Mass.

1st Lt. W. L. Stewart, Ft. Ord, Calif., to Washington, D. C.

Capt. E. R. Kadel, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to 3d Sv C, Indiantown Gap Mt Res, Pa.

Lt. Col. H. C. Black, Washington, D. C., to MI Tng Center, Camp Ritchie, Md.

1st Lt. I. L. Funk, Coshocton, Ohio, to 5th Sv C, Cleveland, Ohio.

Lt. Col. H. L. Peavey, Wash., D. C., to MI Sv Language Sch., Ft. Snelling, Minn.

Lt. Col. E. R. Powell, Ft. Sill, Okla., to Univ. Missouri, Columbia, Mo., Asst. Prof.

Maj. R. C. Johnston, Indianapolis, Ind., to Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Lt. Col. W. H. Allen, jr., Ft. MacArthur, Calif., to OC of S, Wash., D. C.

Maj. B. A. G. Fuller, Cp Hood, Tex., to MI Tng Center, Cp Ritchie, Md.

Capt. R. A. Jaques, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to 9th Sv C, No. Dist., Seattle, Wash.

1st Lt. K. A. McCart, Ft. Riley, Kans., to 7th Sv C, Kansas City, Kans.

Capt. H. P. Carrington, Ft. Sill, Okla., to 4th Sv C, Nashville, Tenn.
Col. Jack S. Blocker, Neptune Beach, Fla., to MI Sv, Washington, D. C.
Capt. T. J. Moore, Washington, D. C., to Det. Patients, Ft. Belvoir, Va.

INFANTRY

Lt. Col. H. I. Szymanski, Ft. McClellan, Ala., to Hq 6th Sv C, Chicago.

Lt. Col. J. E. Stearns, Cp Hood, Tex., to Holabird (Md.) Signal Depot.

Lt. Col. C. B. Smith, Washington, D. C., to Ft. Snelling, Minn.

Lt. Col. E. G. Huey, Lexington, Va., to ASF, Washington, D. C.

Lt. Col. A. C. Miller, Washington, D. C., to Cp Ritchie, Md.

Col. R. F. Sink, Lexington, S. C., to USMA, West Point, N. Y.

Lt. Col. Gerald Griffin, Morgantown, W. Va., to Sch Mil Govt., Charlottesville, Va.

Col. L. G. Clarke, Washington, D. C., to Pamona College, Claremont, Calif., as PMS&T.

Maj. Joseph Poslik, Cp Wheeler, Ga., to Recruiting Service, Cleveland, Ohio.

Lt. Col. C. M. Pack, Washington, D. C., to Camp Ritchie, Md.

Lt. Col. W. F. Lewis, Richmond, Va., to MI Sv, Washington, D. C.

Maj. P. T. Wilson, Cp Hood, Tex., to Holabird (Md.) Signal Depot.

Maj. M. R. J. Giffure, Cp Wheeler, Ga., to Holabird (Md.) Signal Depot.

Capt. W. B. Griffen, Lexington, Va., to OC of S, Washington, D. C.

Capt. M. P. Longino, Cp J. T. Robinson, Ark., to Ft. Snelling, Minn.

1st Lt. E. D. Freeman, Cp Blanding, Fla., to Recruiting Service, Cleveland, Ohio.

1st Lt. L. S. Deskins, Ft. Knox, Ky., to Recruiting Service, Cleveland, Ohio.

1st Lt. W. O. Woodard, Cp Hood, Tex., to Recruiting Service, Cleveland, Ohio.

1st Lt. W. S. Larkin, Cp Blanding, Fla., to Recruiting Service, Cleveland, Ohio.

1st Lt. A. A. Kenney, Cp Wheeler, Ga., to Recruiting Service, Cleveland, Ohio.

1st Lt. G. W. Salt, Lexington, Va., to OC of S, Washington, D. C.

1st Lt. R. F. Selter, Lexington, Va., to OC of S, Washington, D. C.

1st Lt. R. S. Calhoun, Cp Blanding, Fla., to Recruiting Service, Cleveland, Ohio.

2nd Lt. J. J. Sacharski, Cp Lee, Va., to 5th Sv C, Ft. Hayes, Ohio.

1st Lt. E. L. Anderson, Cp Blanding, Fla., to Recruiting Service, Cleveland, Ohio.

2nd Lt. E. W. Davis, Walla Walla, Wash., to Camp Roberts, Calif.

1st Lt. M. B. O'Mella, Baltimore, to Ft. McPherson, Ga.

1st Lt. R. B. Bruzgo, Baltimore, to Ft. McClellan, Ala.

Capt. C. R. Bollinger, Brooklyn, N. Y., to Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Maj. H. J. Becker, Ft. Strong, Mass., to MI Sv, Washington, D. C.

2nd Lt. E. H. McKay, Baltimore, to Ft. McClellan, Ala.

Capt. S. C. Ulrick, Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md., to Ft. Knox, Ky.

2nd Lt. C. B. Carlson, Memphis, Tenn., to Camp Chaffee, Ark.

1st Lt. K. L. Espensen, Indiantown Gap Mt Res. Pa., to Ft. Sheridan, Ill.

1st Lt. J. P. Haggerty, Framingham, Mass., to Ft. McClellan, Ala.

Capt. Gustave Kaplan, Camp Hereford, Tex., to Ft. Knox, Ky.

2nd Lt. C. L. Maholic, Ft. Ord, Calif., to Holabird (Md.) Signal Depot.

1st Lt. M. A. Greenhouse, Ft. Benning, Ga., to AGO, Washington, D. C.

1st Lt. W. P. Simmons, Ft. Hayes, Ohio, to Newton D. Baker GH, Martinsburg, W. Va.

Col. F. R. Loyd, Ft. Benning, Ga., to U. of Wyoming, Laramie, as PMS&T.

1st Lt. W. L. Cokeley, Martinsburg, W. Va., (Please turn to Page 648)

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AGEN—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 2 Jan. 1946, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Robert George Agen, Sr., a son, Robert George, Jr.

ASHER—Born at Harrison Memorial Hospital, Bremerton, Wash., 4 Jan. 1946, to Lt. and Mrs. Robert Wilson Asher, USNR, a son, Jonathan Radcliff.

BABBER—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Monroe, Va., 24 Dec. 1945, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. James T. Babber, USA, a son, James Stafford.

BAXTER—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 27 Dec. 1945, to T/Sgt. and Mrs. Loyd Glenn Baxter, a daughter, Katherine Louise.

BAYLES—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 3 Jan. 1946, to Maj. and Mrs. Charles C. Bayles, CE, a daughter.

BELARDI—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 31 Dec. 1945, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Raymond J. Belardi, AAF, a daughter.

BENEDICT—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 30 Dec. 1945, to Capt. and Mrs. John Howard Benedict, a son, Charles Morris.

BEST—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 5 Jan. 1946, to Capt. and Mrs. William Best, AAF, a daughter.

BISHOP—Born at Fitzsimons General Hospital, Denver, Colo., 30 Dec. 1945, 1st Lt. and Mrs. Ira E. Bishop, a daughter.

BRENNAN—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 1 Jan. 1946, to Maj. and Mrs. Joseph E. Brennan, MC, a son.

BRUCE—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 1 Jan. 1946, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Orvon Lee Bruce, a daughter, Marsha Kaye.

BURROWS—Born at Doctors Hospital, Washington, D. C., 8 Jan. 1946, to Lt. and Mrs. Malcolm A. Burrows, AUS, a son, Donald Malcolm, grandson of Mrs. Donald C. McDonald of Washington, D. C., and the late Colonel McDonald, FA, USA. Lieutenant Burrows is on duty in Japan.

CALVIN—Born at Peck Memorial Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., 30 Dec. 1945, to Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Leland Washington Calvin, USNR, a daughter, Margaret Katherine.

CAMBLOS—Born at DePaul Hospital, Norfolk, Va., 29 Dec. 1945, to Lt. and Mrs. Joshua F. B. Camblos, (MC) USNR, a son, Joshua Fry Bullitt, Jr.

COADY—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 23 Dec. 1945, to Capt. and Mrs. Phillip Coady, a daughter, Carol Lynne.

COVERT—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 3 Jan. 1946, to Maj. and Mrs. Charles F. Covert, AAF, a son.

CRUSER—Born at Georgetown University Hospital, Washington, D. C., 28 Dec. 1945, to Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Handford T. Cruser, III, USNR, a daughter, Christine des Anges, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Goucher of Washington, D. C., and of Mr. and Mrs. Handford T. Cruser, Jr., of Norfolk, Va., and great granddaughter of Mrs. Jane Hanlon of Scranton, Pa., and of Mr. Charles Goucher of Milford, Mass.

DAVIS—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 21 Dec. 1945, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Charles Willis Davis, twin sons, Joseph Kirk and John Broderick.

DAYHOFF—Born at Texarkana Hospital, Texarkana, Tex., 22 Dec. 1945, to Lt. and Mrs. Russell S. Dayhoff, Ord., AUS, a daughter, Shirley Jean.

DELL—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 1 Jan. 1946, to Capt. and Mrs. Donald Pendleton Dell, a son, Richard Charles.

DOVE—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 25 Dec. 1945, to Capt. and Mrs. John Wright Dove, a daughter, Dorothy Louise.

DUGGAN—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 31 Dec. 1945, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Gerald C. Duggan, MAC, a son.

ELKINS—Born at DePaul Hospital, Norfolk, Va., 1 Jan. 1946, to Capt. and Mrs. Ned Elkins, AUS, a son, Thomas Reslan.

ENGLE—Born at Fitzsimons General Hospital, Denver, Colo., 28 Dec. 1945, to 2nd Lt. and Mrs. John F. Engle, a daughter.

ERICKSON—Born at Fort Meade Hospital, Fort Meade, Md., 29 Dec. 1945, to WOJG and Mrs. Victor Erickson, a daughter, Karen Ingrid, granddaughter of Capt. and Mrs. Irwin W. Guth, USA-Ret., of Hagerstown, Md.

FORTSCH—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 5 Jan. 1946, to Capt. and Mrs. Lester F. Fortsch, Ord., a son.

FRENCH—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 2 Jan. 1946, to Maj. and Mrs. Richard Willis French, a son, William Robinson.

GAEDE—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 1 Jan. 1946, to 1st Sgt. and Mrs. Robert C. Gaede, CE, a daughter.

GEDDES—Born at Fitzsimons General Hospital, Denver, Colo., 27 Dec. 1945, to Capt. and Mrs. David P. Geddes, a daughter.

GEISER—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 24 Dec. 1945, to Capt. and Mrs. Elvin Otto Geiser, a son, Gary Fretwell.

GORE—Born at Newport (R. I.) Hospital, 29 Dec. 1945, to Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. John M. Gore, (SC) USN, a daughter, Jane Lucille, granddaughter of Mrs. George H. Bowdley, wife of Commo. Bowdley, USN-Ret., of Newport.

GREEN—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 29 Dec. 1945, to Capt. and Mrs. Joseph Green, Jr., CE, a daughter.

GRIFFIN—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 2 Jan. 1946, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Robert B. Griffin, Inf., a daughter.

HAMMERLE—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 22 Dec. 1945, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Clarence Bernard Hammerle, Jr., a daughter, Holly Ann.

HARTUNG—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 3 Jan. 1946, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Kenneth Hartung, CE, a son.

HATCH—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 1 Jan. 1946, to Maj. and Mrs. John E. Hatch, Jr., USA, a daughter, Barbara Fenton Hatch, granddaughter of Col. and Mrs. John E. Hatch, USA, and of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. James L. Frink, USA, and great-granddaughter of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. E. F. McGlavin, USA-Ret.

HEPLER—Born in Pittsburgh, Pa., recently, to Lt. and Mrs. John G. Hepler, USNR, a son, grandson of Mrs. George H. Bowdley, wife of Commo. Bowdley, of Newport, R. I.

HUGHES—Born at Norfolk (Va.) General Hospital, 5 Jan. 1946, to Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. William Vincent Hughes, USN, a son.

HUTCHINSON—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 29 Dec. 1945, to Mr. (WOJG) and Mrs. Lewis Chaplin Hutchinson, a son, Michael Lewis.

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LAVIANO—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 5 Jan. 1946, to Tech. Sgt. and Mrs. Joseph G. Laviano, CE, a daughter.

LESTER—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 6 Jan. 1946, to Capt. and Mrs. Marvin H. Lester, CE, a daughter.

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MAINWARING—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 30 Dec. 1945, to Capt. and Mrs. John W. Mainwaring, a daughter.

MALONE—Born at St. Vincent's Hospital, New York City, 13 Nov. 1945, to Lt. and Mrs. E. H. Malone, Jr., a son, grandson of Col. and Mrs. E. H. Malone, USA-Ret., and of Col. and Mrs. F. A. Byrne, USA.

MARTIN—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 4 Jan. 1946, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Ray Hamilton Martin, a son, James Hamilton.

MCCORMICK—Born at Fitzsimons General Hospital, Denver, Colo., 28 Dec. 1945, to Lt. (jg) and Mrs. George J. L. McCormick, a son.

MAYO—Born at Fitzsimons General Hospital, Denver, Colo., 28 Dec. 1945, to Ens. and Mrs. Richard W. Mayo, a son.

NORTH—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 29 Dec. 1945, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Luther Vernon North, a daughter, Ruth Lorraine.

OFFEN—Born at Stamford Hospital, Stamford, Conn., 27 Dec. 1945, to Capt. and Mrs. Roger Lansing Offen, Jr., a son, their first child, Roger Lansing Offen.

PAUL—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 3 Jan. 1946, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. David Paul, a daughter, Linda Kay.

PITTS—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 3 Jan. 1946, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. George Pitts, a son.

POGORZELSKI—Born at Yonkers General Hospital, Yonkers, N. Y., 29 Nov. 1945, to Capt. and Mrs. Joseph G. Pogorzelski, QMC, a son, Kenneth John.

POLLY—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 3 Jan. 1946, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Jack Robert Polly, a daughter, Jo Ann.

POWERS—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 6 Dec. 1945, to Maj. and Mrs. David A. Powers, AUS, of Williamsburg, Va., a daughter, Lee Antoinette.

ROBBINS—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 4 Jan. 1946, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Joseph C. Robbins, Jr., Sig C, a son.

SCHNEIDER—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 3 Jan. 1946, to Maj. and Mrs. Charles F. Schneider, Cav., a daughter.

SCHOENFELT—Born at Leigh Memorial Hospital, Norfolk, Va., 25 Dec. 1945, to Capt. and Mrs. Robert Schoenfelt, a daughter, Penny Lee.

SCOLLARD—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 7 January 1946, to T.Sgt. and Mrs. Lloyd T. Scollard, SC, a daughter.

STUDHOLME—Born at Fitzsimons General Hospital, Denver, Colo., 29 Dec. 1945, to Capt. and Mrs. Cliff A. Studholme, a daughter.

TILTON—Born at Fitzsimons General Hospital, Denver, Colo., 28 Dec. 1945, to 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Warren D. Tilton, a daughter.

VANDER VERT—Born at Fitzsimons General Hospital, Denver, Colo., 28 Dec. 1945, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Robert A. VanderVert, a son.

VERMERSCH—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 22 Dec. 1945, to M/Sgt. and Mrs. John Arthur Vermerach, sr., a son, John Arthur, Jr.

WAGNER—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, D. C., 7 Jan. 1946, to Capt. and Mrs. Joseph J. Wagner, QMC, a daughter.

WEIDMAN—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 31 Dec. 1945, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Grant Hubert Weidman, a daughter, Mary Elizabeth.

WILLIAMS—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 4 Jan. 1946, to Maj. and Mrs. David E. Williams, FA, a son.

WODINSKY—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 31 Dec. 1945, to T/Sgt. and Mrs. Isadore Wodinsky, MD, a daughter.

WRIGHT—Born at Georgetown Hospital, Washington, D. C., 3 Jan. 1946, to Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Thomas W. D. Wright, USNR, a son, Peter William Dunstan Wright.

Married

ANDERSON-MENACHER—Married at Hickam Field, H. T., 8 Dec. 1945, Miss Patricia Menacher to Capt. Jack G. Anderson, AAF.

BATES-ANDERSON—Married in the First Presbyterian Church, Norfolk, Va., 5 Jan. 1946, Miss Martha Anderson to Chaplain Leo Bates, AUS.

BATES-BATES—Married in the First Presbyterian Church, Rutherford, N. J., 5 Jan. 1946, Miss Valerie Ogden Bates to Capt. William L. Bates, USMC, son of Col. and Mrs. William L. Bates, USA.

BLASSINGHAM-KOWALCZYK—Married in South Boston Presbyterian Church, Tulsa, Okla., 29 Dec. 1945, Lt. Helen Kowalczyk, ANC, to Lt. James Harold Blassingham, Jr., AAF.

BRYAN-HOOPPAW—Married in Leesburg, Va., 8 Jan. 1946, Miss Jacqueline Hannah Hoopaw to Ens. Roland Towler Bryan, USNR of Baltimore, Md.

RUBIN-von MULLER—Married in the Church of the Savior, Brooklyn, N. Y., 3 Jan. 1946, Miss Joy Antoinette von Muller, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Francis von Muller, AUS, to Dr. Thor Richard Rubin of Ohio State University.

CAILLOUET-DENBY—Married in the home of the bride in Washington, D. C., 5 Jan. 1946, Mrs. Elizabeth Lyster Denby, widow of Lt. Edwin Denby, Jr., USN, to Comdr. Jean Louis Caillouet, Jr., USNR.

CHANDLER-HART—Married in St. Gregory's Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., 5 Jan. 1946, Miss Jeanne Natalie Hart of Brooklyn, to Maj. William C. Chandler, AUS, also of Brooklyn.

CLARK-MITCHELL—Married in the church of Grace Church, New York City, 5 Jan. 1946, Miss Sylvia Mitchell, daughter of Maj. and Mrs. Clarence Van Schaick Mitchell, to Mr. William Lincoln Clark of Cynwyd, Pa.

CLARKE-COLE—Married in St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Yonkers, N. Y., 5 Jan. 1946, Miss Lillian Winifred Cole to Lt. Stephen Clarke, USNR.

CURREN-POSEY—Married in St. Margaret's Episcopal Church, Washington, D. C., 5 Jan. 1946, Miss Mary Ashby Posey to Comdr. Howard Franklin Curren, USNR.

DAVENPORT-DOBSON—Married in Seattle, Wash., 27 Nov. 1945, Miss Ernestine Dobson, daughter of Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Dobson, USN, to Lt. (jg) Robert Earl Davenport, Jr., son of Comdr. and Mrs. Robert Earl Davenport, USN-Ret.

de PERCIN-KLOSKY—Married in St. Anthony's Church, Washington, D. C., 29 Dec. 1945, Miss Rosilyn Klosky to Lt. F. Petregille de Percin, AAF.

EISEMAN-BREWER—Married in Memorial Chapel, Army Medical Center, Washington, D. C., 22 Dec. 1945, Miss Marie B. Brewer to Capt. James S. Eiseaman, AUS.

EVERALL-MCCREERY—Married in the chapel of All Saints Church, Pasadena, Calif., 3 Jan. 1946, Lt. (jg) Madelon Elizabeth McGreery, USNR, to Lt. H. Gerard Everall, USNR.

GARDNER-HALLER—Married in St. Mary's Church, Washington (D. C.) Cathedral, 5 Jan. 1946, Miss June A. Haller of Scarsdale, N. Y., to Lt. (jg) Marshall C. Gardner, USNR, of Washington.

GILBERT-GUNN—Married in The Little Chapel of the Glenn Memorial Church, Atlanta, Ga., 19 Dec. 1945, Miss Betty Burel Gunn, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Claude T. Gunn, USA, to Ens. Charles Walter Gilbert, USNR.

GLASSMAN-KAUFMAN—Married in Salt Lake City, 17 Dec. 1945, Miss Jane Carol Kaufman to Lt. Zeon Goudy Glassman, USA.

GOODE-FRANKLIN—Married in Fort Worth, Tex., 4 Jan. 1946, Miss Vivian Franklin of Fort Worth, to Col. James P. Goode, AAF, of New Haven, Conn.

GREENE-CONNER—Married in Ignatius Chapel, Fort Leavenworth, Kans., 1 Jan. 1946, Miss Ruth Eileen Conner, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Leo B. Conner, USA, to Maj. Michael Joseph Lenihan Greene, USA, son of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Douglass T. Greene, USA.

GROVES-WILLIAMS—Married in New York City, 18 Dec. 1945, Miss Beverly Minor Williams to Lt. Norman Samuel Groves, 3d., USN.

HERSEY-MAGOWAN—Married in Hitchcock Memorial Presbyterian Church, Scarsdale, N. Y., 7 Jan. 1946, Miss Sally Magowan of Scarsdale, to Lt. John Brackett Hersey, USNR, of Milton, Mass.

HOPKINS-REDMOND—Married in the St. James Episcopal Church, New York, N. Y., 5 Jan. 1946, Miss Cynthia Redmond of New York, to Maj. Peter S. Hopkins, CE, AUS.

HOUSTON-DAVISON—Married in the post chapel, Fort Myer, Va., 29 Dec. 1945, Miss Helen Alden Davison to Lt. Robert Neil Houston, AAF, both of Washington, D. C.

HUGHES-CONKLIN—Married in First Congregational Church, Washington, D. C., 9 Jan. 1946, Miss Lois Ann Conklin, of Washington, to Lt. Arthur Graves Hughes, Jr., AAF of Anniston, Ala.

JONES-LINDSEY—Married in Norfolk, Va., 29 Dec. 1945, Miss Ann Eliza Lindsey to Lt. Col. Gordon Cowley Jones, AUS, of Columbus, Kans.

JORDAN-CURTIS—Married in New York City, 8 Jan. 1946, Miss Cora Semmes Curtis, of New York formerly of Warrenton, Va., to Capt. Virgil Hillman Jordan, AUS, recently returned from duty in the Pacific area.

KENDALL-ROYCE—Married in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, New Haven, Conn., 5 Jan. 1946, Miss Barbara Adelaide Royce to Lt. Robin Schofield Kendall, USA, (USMA '44), son of Col. and Mrs. Charles B. Kendall, USA.

LAND-REDELUS—Married in Memorial Chapel, Army Medical Center, Washington, D. C., 3 Jan. 1946, Miss Jeanne Rudelius, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Ernest A. Rudelius, USA, to Lt. Carey J. Land, AAF.

LANE-NEAL—Married in Bronxville (N.Y.) Reformed Church, 5 Jan. 1946, Miss Julie Louise Neal of Mt. Vernon, N. Y., to Lt. (jg) Donald J. Lane, USNR.

LeBERT-HATCH—Married in the Church of the Transfiguration, New York, N. Y., 6 Jan. 1946, Miss Barbara Elizabeth Hatch to Lt. Neal Gordon LeBERT, USNR.

LINDJORD-LANCASTER—Married in St. Alban's Episcopal Church, 21 Dec. 1945, Lt. (jg) Nancy Priscilla Lancaster, USCGR(W), of Washington, D. C., to Maj. Hanken Lindjard, USA, of Seattle, Wash.

LIVINGSTON-EVANS—Married in the home of the bride's parents, Kensington, Md., 29 Dec. 1945, Miss Kathryn Evans, daughter of Col. and Mrs. George Richard Evans, to Lt. Lyons Fendal Livingston, AUS, of Catonsville, Md.

LOWMAN-CUTLER—Married in West Side Presbyterian Church, Ridgewood, N. J., 5 Jan. 1946, Miss Marjorie Louise Cutler to Lt. Marshall Lowman, USMC.

MANSER-COOPER—Married in the chapel of Christ Church, New York, N. Y., 5 Jan. 1946, Mrs. Margaret Gilbert Cooper to Maj. Harold M. Manser, AUS.

MARVIN-HONAN—Married at Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 16 Dec. 1945, Miss Phillis

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Marie Honan, daughter of Col. and Mrs. John J. Honan of Fort Sam Houston, to Lt. Everett Dunbar Marvin, Jr., of Randolph Field, Tex.

MEYER-MORSE—Married in the home of the bride's parents, Elmira, N. Y., 17 Dec. 1945, Miss Jane Morse to Capt. Stewart Canfield Meyer, USA (USMA'43), son of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Vincent Meyer, USA.

MILLER-BEGLEY—Married in the chapel, U. S. Naval Air Base, Jacksonville, Fla., 15 Dec. 1945, Miss Elizabeth Ann Begley of Washington, D. C., to Lt. (jg) Charles Lockett Miller, USN (USNA'43), son of Comdr. Robert Nicholas Miller, II, USN.

MONTGOMERY-SAUNDERS—Married in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Meadowbrook, Norfolk, Va., 31 Dec. 1945, Miss Marion Louise Saunders to Lt. Comdr. William Morgan Montgomery, USN, son of Capt. and Mrs. Howard Howlett Montgomery, (MC) USN.

MORRIS-FERRY—Married 5 Jan. 1946, Miss Margaret K. Ferry of East Orange, N. J., to Lt. Dwight E. Morris, Jr., of the 8th Army Air Force recently returned from the Southwest Pacific area.

MYERS-SHEHIGH—Married in Park Place Baptist Church, Norfolk, Va., 5 Jan. 1946, Miss Norma Jane Shehigh to Lt. Edward Jay Myers, (MC) USN.

O'DANIEL-KADEN—Married in Long Beach, Calif., 14 Dec. 1945, Lt. (jg) Lois Margaret Kaden, USNR, to Lt. Comdr. Richard Edgar O'Daniel, USNR.

PARFET-LINDSAY—Married in the Fourth Presbyterian Church, Larchmont, N. Y., 28 Dec. 1945, Miss Helen Louise Lindsay to Capt. Stanley W. Parfet, AUS.

PIERCE-SIMMONDS—Married in the Congregational Church, Leominster, Mass., 7 Jan. 1946, Miss Joan Farrington Simmonds to Maj. Richard Herd Pierce, USMC.

SEALS-ROBINSON—Married in Memorial Chapel, Army Medical Center, Washington, D. C., 5 Jan. 1946, Mrs. Robert (Helen Frost) Robinson to Brig. Gen. Carl H. Seals, USA. Mrs. Seals is the widow of Col. Robert Robinson, USA, and Brig. Gen. Seals lost his wife in May 1945, while he was a prisoner of war in Manchuria.

SENGSTACK-HOLLINS—Married in Swanson, South Wales, 15 Dec. 1945, Miss Nora Hollins of Swanson, to Lt. William N. Sengstack, CE, AUS.

STEBBINS-OSBORNE—Married in Baltimore, Md., 27 Dec. 1945, Miss Nancy Ruth Osborne of Southern Pines, N. C., to Lt. A. Kellogg Stebbins, 3d, USA (USMA'45), son of Col. and Mrs. Albert K. Stebbins, Jr., of Westfield, N. J.

STIEHL-WINZER—Married in Fordham Lutheran Church, New York, N. Y., 5 Jan. 1946, Miss Marie Dorothy Winzer to Ens. Walter W. Stiehl, USNR.

SWEETERS-BOYCE—Married in the Roman Catholic Church of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Scarsdale, N. Y., 5 Jan. 1946, Miss Helen Boyce, daughter of Col. Henry W. Boyce, AUS, to Lt. Wilber Allen Sweeters, USCGR.

WALLACE-CRUTE—Married in Eighth Street Christian Church, Greenville, N. C., 1 Jan. 1946, Mrs. Marie Smith Crute to Maj. Eustace Jack Wallace, Jr., USA.

WARREN-LUCY—Married in Holy Trinity Chapel, West Point, N. Y., 5 Jan. 1946, Miss Frances Mae Lucy of West Hempstead, Long Island, N. Y., to Capt. William C. Warren, USA (USMA'42).

WOODS-HENDERSON—Married in the station chapel, U. S. Naval Air Station, Quonset Point, R. I., 3 Jan. 1946, Miss Elizabeth Cox Henderson, daughter of Rear Adm. and Mrs. George B. Henderson, USN, to Lt. Comdr. William Francis Woods, Jr., USNR.

Died

BANKS—Died in Houston, Texas, 6 Jan. 1946, Gen. William Banks, Confederate Veteran, 100 years old, commander in chief of the United Confederate Veterans.

BAUGHMAN—Died at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 8 Jan. 1946, Mr. Adelbert D. Baughman, father of the late Col. Richard L. Baughman, Inf., USA. Survived by his wife, Mrs. A. D. Baughman of Grand Forks, N. Dak., and a daughter, Mrs. Ruth Perrott of Hollywood, Calif.

BLEASDALE—An official finding of death has been declared by the War Department as of 12 Dec. 1945 of Lt. Col. Jack Walter Bleasdale, AC, USA, missing in action since 5 Jan. 1943 after leading a daylight bombing raid over Rabul, New Britain. Survived by his

widow, Mrs. Ellaiose P. Bleasdale, 1545 Mulberry Street, San Antonio, Texas and by his parents, Dr. and Mrs. John Walter Bleasdale, U. S. Veterans Hospital, Aspinwall, Pa.

CANHAM—Died in airplane crash in the Pacific, 17 July 1945, Lt. Charles P. Canham, Jr., USNR. Survived by his wife, Mrs. Muri Halsey Canham of Clearwater, Fla., his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Canham of Tuckahoe, N. Y., by three children, Susan, Douglas and Barbara Canham and by two sisters.

DALE—Died in New York, N. Y., 28 Dec. 1945, Capt. Eugene Dale, AUS. Funeral services were held on 4 Jan. in Enid, Okla.

EDWARD—Died in New York, N. Y., 3 Jan. 1946, Mr. James Edward, father of Brig. Gen. Harvey Edward, USA.

FENTRESS—Died at Lowe Foundation in Hinsdale, Ill., 7 Jan. 1946, Mrs. Grace L. Fentress, wife of Maj. Robert Bradley Fentress. Besides her mother, Mrs. Bell Toof Little of Concord, N. H., she is survived by three children, a sister and a brother.

FOOTE—Killed while attempting to extinguish a fire in the officers' quarters at U. S. Naval Air Station, Sanford, Fla., 6 Jan. 1946, Capt. Robert D. Foote, USMCR, executive officer of the station. Surviving are his mother, Mrs. Robert D. Foote, sr., of Morris-town, N. J., and three sisters.

HALL—Died at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 3 Jan. 1946, Col. Chalmers G. Hall, USA-Ret. (USMA'97). Funeral services were at Fort Myer Chapel and interment at Arlington National Cemetery. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Margaret McNelly Hall of the 3100 block Connecticut Ave., NW, Washington, D. C., a daughter, Mrs. A. L. Walker, Jr., of New York, N. Y., a son, Mr. Chalmers C. Hall, Jr., of New York, a brother and a sister.

LAPOLLA—Killed in action over Brod, Yugoslavia, February 1945, FO Mark Orestes Lapolla, AAF.

MICHEL—Died at U. S. Naval Hospital, Bethesda, Md., 3 Jan. 1946, Rear Adm. Carl Michel, chief medical officer of the U. S. Coast Guard and Asst. Surgeon General of the U. S. Public Health Service. Survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Plouffe Michel, a daughter, Mrs. J. J. McClelland, wife of a Lt. Comdr. of the Coast Guard and two sons, Maj. John Michel, CE, USA, and Carl Michel, a student at the University of Virginia.

PACINI—Died at his home in Washington, D. C., 5 Jan. 1946, Mr. Agide Pacini, father of Capt. Henry Pacini, AUS.

RIMMER—Declared deceased by the Navy Department as of 13 Dec. 1945, Lt. Comdr. Hugh Raynor Rimmer, USN (USNA '37). He was Commanding Officer of the USS Albacore reported missing in action 20 Dec. 1944. Survived by his wife, Mrs. Dorothy Rothacker Rimmer and daughter, Susan, of 9 Normandy Lane, Manhasset, Long Island, N. Y., by his parents, Maj. and Mrs. Hugh H. Rimmer, USA-Retired, of San Francisco, Calif., and two brothers, Maj. Harmon P. Rimmer, CAC, and Lt. James W. Rimmer, AC. His grandfather the late William Raynor of Philadelphia, Pa., was an engineer officer, USN, during the Civil War.

ROBERTS—Died at Sibley Memorial Hospital, Washington, D. C., 7 Jan. 1946, Mrs. Effie A. Roberts, mother of Col. L. B. Roberts.

SMITH—Died at his home 4300 Palmarito St., Coral Gables, Fla., 6 Dec. 1945, Mr. John Starr Smith, father of Mrs. Philip Helmbold, wife of Lt. Col. Hembold, USA-Ret. Funeral services were held 10 Dec. at Hollywood, Fla., and interment in Woodlawn Cemetery, Coral Gables.

SODERHOLM—Died at Brooke General Hospital, San Antonio, Texas, 2 Jan. 1946, after a prolonged illness, Mrs. Alyce Soderholm, wife of Col. Nels L. Soderholm, USA. Survived beside her husband by a son, Nels L. Soderholm, Jr., ETM 3c, USN, her mother, Mrs. T. J. Guill of Columbia, S. C., five sisters and three brothers. Funeral services were held in the Post Chapel, Fort Sam Houston, Texas on 6 Jan. 1946. Interment in Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery.

WHITTLESEY—Died 23 Dec. 1945, Mr. George Whittlesey, of New London, Conn. Survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary F. Whittlesey, one son, Capt. George C. Whittlesey, USCG, and three daughters, Mrs. L. V. Kiehlhorn, wife of Capt. Kiehlhorn, USCG-Ret., Mrs. William A. Kendall and Mrs. William A. Millard. Also survived by a grandson, Lt. William V. Kiehlhorn, USCGR and three granddaughters, Dr. Eloise W. Kallin; Mrs. Gene Collison, wife of Lt. Comdr. Collison, USN, and Miss Nancy C. Kendall.

Obituaries

Following a brilliant career in the service of his country, and in the development of many new phases of bacteriology, Rear Adm. Carl Michel, 55, United States Public Health Service, chief medical officer of the Coast Guard and Assistant surgeon general of the U.S.P.H.S., died at the Bethesda Naval Hospital on 3 January.

Admiral Michel suffered an attack on 2

Jan. shortly after arriving at his home in Washington, D. C. He was removed to the hospital and lapsed into a coma from which he never regained consciousness.

Admiral Michel was born in Chicago on 4 May 1890. He attended public and high schools in Chicago, and was graduated from the University of Illinois in 1912.

Following internship in the U. S. Marine Hospital in Chicago, he was detailed to assist the Indiana State Board of Health during the floods of 1913. He was then appointed an instructor of Bacteriology at the University of Illinois, and a detail to New Orleans where he worked for about six months on Plague eradication measures. His next assignment was a short period devoted to the study of etiology of pellagra at Rankin State Farm Mississippi, followed by duty at Ellis Island, New York.

When World War I was declared, Mr. Michel was temporarily transferred from the Public Health Service for assignment as medical officer to the Coast Guard. This duty terminated in February, 1918, when he was attached to the Hospital Division of the Public Health Bureau, Washington, D. C.

When a bubonic plague occurred in Tampico, Mexico, in the summer of 1921 he was ordered there, following request by the Mexican Government, to institute control measures. An outbreak of plague in Los Angeles, Calif., in July of 1925 resulted in duty at that city, to be followed by another detail at Seattle, Washington. In August, 1927, he was transferred to Arkansas for flood relief work and the organization of twenty-three County Health units.

During an assignment to Miami, Fla., in the summer of 1930 he organized a standard Airplane Quarantine system, and was first to call attention to the fact that airplanes may carry mosquitoes bringing such diseases as yellow fever and was instrumental in establishing a system of inspection of airplanes to eliminate this danger. In 1932, in conjunction with Pan American Airways, he designed plans for airplane quarantine stations which were incorporated into New Airplane Terminal at Miami. When put into operations, this proved to be one of the most practical and efficient in the world.

Dr. Michel reported to Coast Guard Headquarters in July of 1940 for duty as Chief Medical Officer. Since that time the Medical Division has expanded to many times its former size and much progress has been made under his direction in relation to constructing additional medical and dental facilities for the wartime personnel of this branch of the service.

Dr. Michel is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary Michel Michel; one son, Major John Michel, is in the Engineer Corps, USA, and another, Carl Michel, Jr., who saw active service in the Coast Guard Reserve during World War II. In addition Mr. Michel leaves a daughter, Mrs. J. J. McClelland, wife of a Lieutenant Commander in the Coast Guard.

Mrs. Alyce Soderholm, wife of Col. Nels L. Soderholm, passed away on 2 Jan. 1946 at the Brooke General Hospital after a prolonged illness.

In addition to her husband she is survived by Nels L. Soderholm, Jr., ETM 3rd Cl, U. S. Navy, stationed at Treasure Island, Calif., where he is serving with the Electronics Technical School. Also by Mrs. T. J. Guill, mother, Columbia, S. C., Mrs. William Roetter, Mrs. Claude E. Nogle, Mrs. Joseph Gahlager, wife of Lieutenant Gahlager, AAF, Miss Gussie Guill, Miss Louise Guill, all sisters. Also surviving are Mr. Berlin Guill, Arnold Guill and M/Sgt. George Guill, brothers.

Interment will be in the Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery. Services were held in the Post Chapel, Ft. Sam Houston on 6 Jan.

Army Orders
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to Ft. McClellan, Ala.
 Maj. H. C. Koch, Cp Hood, Tex., to Ft. Monmouth, N. J.
 Capt. R. L. Tenney, Cp J. T. Robinson, Ark., to AGO, Wash., D. C.
 Maj. P. E. Dodge, Cp Hood, Tex., to Dept. of State, Washington, D. C.
 Capt. W. O. Peak, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., to MI Tng Ctr., Ft. Ritchie, Md.
 1st Lt. E. W. McCaskey, Camp Pickett, Va., to Inf Repl Pool, Ft. McClellan, Ala.
 Capt. C. L. Banister, Oxford, N. C., to 4th Sv C, Ft. Bragg, N. C.
 Capt. R. G. Roy, Framingham, Mass., to Inf Repl Pool, Ft. McClellan, Ala.
 1st Lt. F. T. Salem, Miami Beach, Fla., to 5th Sv C, CPW, White Sulphur Springs, W. Va.
 Capt. E. T. Sharrots, Plainfield, N. J., to 4th Sv C, Ft. Bragg, N. C.
 1st Lt. L. M. Schneider, Ft. Dix, N. J., to Sch Mil Govt., Charlottesville, Va.
 Lt. Col. H. D. Rothrock, Wash., D. C., to SFPE, Ft. Mason, Calif.
 Lt. Col. B. E. Thurston, Cp Blanding, Fla., to Hq 7th Sv C, Omaha, Neb.
 1st Lt. D. O'Connor, Cp J. T. Robinson, Ark., to OUS Joint C of S, Washington, D. C.
 1st Lt. T. H. Sanford, Ft. Sheridan, Ill., to Hq 8th Sv C, Dallas, Tex.
 1st Lt. W. M. Stowell, Cp Swift, Tex., to MI Sv, Washington, D. C.
 1st Lt. C. E. Fisher, Ft. Benning, Ga., to

ASF Tng Ctr., Aberdeen Pr Gd, Md.
 Maj. L. H. Doar, Charlottesville, Va., to 5th Sv C, Ft. Knox, Ky.
 Capt. F. N. Merritt, Alexandria, Va., to MI Sv, Washington, D. C.
 2nd Lt. A. E. Sabatelli, Ft. Ord, Calif., to 3d Sv C, Ft. G. Meade, Md.
 2nd Lt. H. M. Smith, Ft. McClellan, Ala., to Hq 7th Sv C, Omaha, Neb.
 2nd Lt. J. H. O'Brien, Cp Pickett, Va., to Inf Repl Pool, Ft. McClellan, Ala.
 Capt. P. J. Panapolis, Washington, D. C., to Inf Repl Pool, Ft. McClellan, Ala.
 Maj. T. H. Fuller, Camp Swift, Tex., to MI Sv, Washington, D. C.
 1st Lt. C. F. Powell, Chickasha, Okla., to 8th Sv C, WDPC, Camp Chaffee, Ark.

AIR CORPS

Lt. Col. J. A. Thompson, Bartow Fld, Fla., to Camp Beale, Calif.
 Capt. J. M. Cutler, Wash., D. C., to Ft. Snelling, Minn.
 Capt. W. E. Naylor, Ft. Dix, N. J., to Ft. Snelling, Minn.
 1st Lt. S. R. Weiner, Chicago, to AGO, Washington, D. C.
 1st Lt. F. M. Fitzman, Ft. Douglas, Utah, to Camp Beale, Calif.
 2nd Lt. H. J. Schimmel, Abilene, Tex., to AGO, Washington, D. C.
 Capt. R. C. Rice, Chicago, to AGO, Washington, D. C.
 Capt. F. D. Crook, Cleveland, to Ft. Worth (Tex.) AAF Field.
 Capt. R. H. Branda, Spokane, Wash., to AGO, Washington, D. C.
 1st Lt. R. B. Brumbaugh, Ft. Hayes, Ohio, to Wright Fld, Ohio.
 Capt. E. W. Cutler, Perrin Fld, Tex., to Ft. Snelling, Minn.
 1st Lt. I. J. Rees, Dallas, Tex., to 550 AAFBU, Cincinnati, Ohio.
 Capt. A. J. Tully, New York, to OJAG, Washington, D. C.
 Capt. A. G. Dunkan, Sumner, N. M., to Ft. Lavenworth, Kans.
 Maj. F. C. Scofield, Marshall Fld, Kans., to Ft. Snelling, Minn.
 Capt. D. P. Brickley, Pittsburgh, Pa., to 3d Sv C, Baltimore.
 Maj. J. W. Bacon, Wash., D. C., to 4020 AAFBU, Wright Fld, Ohio.
 Capt. S. S. Venitt, New York, to Ft. Dix, N. J.
 Capt. J. J. Michels, Baltimore, to Sioux Falls, (S.D.) AAF.
 1st Lt. S. J. Upton, Baltimore, to Homestead AAF Field, Fla.
 Capt. A. H. Allen, Cincinnati, to Sch Mil Govt., Charlottesville, Va.
 1st Lt. J. F. Sennett, Baltimore, to Kessler Fld, Mass.
 Capt. E. L. Gross, New York, to Ft. Devens, Mass.
 Maj. B. C. Bartlett, Charlottesville, Va., to Midland Fld, Tex.
 Capt. C. H. Schrader, Indiantown Gap Mil Res., Pa., to Sch Mil Govt., Charlottesville, Va.
 Lt. Col. E. Tash, Orlando, Fla., to MI Tng Ctr., Camp Ritchie, Md.
 Maj. W. M. Mizell, Wash., D. C., to Dept. State, Wash., D. C.
 Lt. Col. J. L. McCroskey, Orlando, Fla., to MI Tng Ctr., Cp Ritchie, Md.
 1st Lt. R. M. Haar, Buckley Fld, Colo., to MI Sv, Wash., D. C.
 Maj. F. L. Robinson, Randolph Fld, Tex., to MI Tng Ctr., Camp Ritchie, Md.
 2nd Lt. L. H. Sherrill, Camp Lee, Va., to 9th Sv C, HD of Columbia, Ft. Stevens, Ore.
 Maj. D. F. Blaha, Mitchell Fld, N. Y., to MI Tng Ctr., Cp Ritchie, Md.
 Capt. R. W. Barnes, Wash., D. C., to Office Fiscal Dir., Wash., D. C.
 Maj. A. M. Dodd, Grand Island Fld, Nebr., to AGO, Washington, D. C.
 Capt. R. J. Halfman, Wash., D. C., to 245th AAF Base, McCook AA Fld, Nebr.
 2nd Lt. W. D. Sampson, Chicago, Ill., to Great Lakes Engr. Div., Chicago, Ill.
 Capt. P. M. Wassum, Governors Island, N. Y., to Hq Caf, Bolling Fld, D. C.
 2nd Lt. R. J. Mallach, Camp Lee, Va., to 2d Sv C, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Col. G. V. McPike, McClellan Fld, Calif., to OUSW, Wash., D. C.
 Capt. A. P. Lomaker, Wright Fld, Ohio, to Wash., D. C.
 1st Lt. W. E. Martin, Cp Detrick, Md., to 72d AAF Base Unit, Asheville, N. C.
 2nd Lt. H. A. Littler, Peterson Fld, Colo., to 400th AAF Base Unit, San Francisco, Calif.
 Lt. Col. C. D. Long, Wash., D. C., to Education Div., New York City.
 1st Lt. M. G. Garcia, Long Island, N. Y., to ASF, Wash., D. C.
 Capt. B. B. Shields, Sioux City, Iowa, to AGO, Wash., D. C.
 1st Lt. R. Kaywood, Camp Lee, Va., to 2d Sv C, Camp Kilmer, N. J.

COAST ARTILLERY CORPS

1st Lt. W. M. Hobbs, Ft. Bliss, Tex., to OC of S, Washington, D. C.
 1st Lt. R. O. Goldin, Cp Livingston, La., to AGO, Washington, D. C.
 Maj. R. L. Brooks, Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md., to Off Dir Mil Tng, ASF, Wash., D. C.
 Maj. T. B. Strother, Ft. Bliss, Tex., to MI Sv Lang Sch., Ft. Snelling, Minn.
 1st Lt. P. T. Williams, Ft. F. E. Warren, Wyo., to 5th Sv C, RC, Cp Atterbury, Ind.
 Col. I. C. Whittemore, Lexington, Va., to OC of S, Washington, D. C.
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Lt. Col. W. B. Sell, Wash., D. C., to MI Sv Lang Sch., Ft. Snelling, Minn.
2nd Lt. W. N. Kimball, Camp Cooke, Calif., to 9th Sv C, Phoenix, Ariz.
Capt. J. E. Catlin, Ft. Rosecrans, Calif., to Sch Mil Govt., Charlottesville, Va.
Capt. H. A. C. Farwick, Ft. Ord, Calif., to Washington, D. C.
Maj. E. H. Hahn, Ft. Bliss, Tex., to Counter Intelligence, Baltimore, Md.
1st Lt. D. Rosenberg, Butler, Pa., to CA Repl Pool, Ft. Monroe, Va.
Col. R. H. Krueger, Wash., D. C., to Washington, D. C.
Col. V. P. Coyne, Ft. Bliss, Tex., to 6th Sv C, Camp Grant, Ill.
Col. K. R. Kenerick, Wash., D. C., to USMA, West Point, N. Y.
Capt. G. A. Pelree, Ft. Adams, R. I., to CA Sch., Ft. Monroe, Va.
Maj. Glenn O. Hall, Wash., D. C., to Sp Services, New York City.
Maj. M. W. Walker, Wash., D. C., to AAA Repl Pool, Ft. Bliss, Tex.
Capt. W. P. Weiss, Wash., D. C., to AAA Repl Pool, Ft. Bliss, Tex.
Lt. Col. P. Vischer, Wash., D. C., to Ft. Dix, N. J.

WOMEN'S ARMY CORPS

2nd Lt. G. L. Winters, Ft. Sheridan, Ill., to 9th Sv C, Camp Beale, Calif.
1st Lt. D. H. Scott, Ft. Dix, N. J., to WAC Repl Pool, Ft. Des Moines, Iowa.
2nd Lt. Miller, Omaha, Nebr., to 2d Sv C, Ft. Dix, N. J.
1st Lt. E. M. Rowdybush, San Antonio, Tex., to 9th Sv C, Camp Beale, Calif.
2nd Lt. C. O. Crotty, Omaha, Nebr., to Hq 2d Sv C, Governors Island, N. Y.

ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES

2nd Lt. W. J. Behr, Lexington, Va., to 9th Sv C, Ft. MacArthur, Calif.
Capt. P. Phelps, New York, N. Y., to Sch Mil Govt., Charlottesville, Va.
2nd Lt. T. G. Neusom, Lexington, Va., to 9th Sv C, Seattle, Wash.
1st Lt. R. G. Myers, Baltimore, Md., to Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md.
Capt. L. W. Rhodes, Lexington, Va., to Sp Services Div., New York City.

CHIEF WARRANT OFFICERS

E. F. Nendell, retd., as 1st Lt.
W. C. Crawford, Seattle, to Ft. Jackson, S. C.
F. V. Blossom, Richmond, Va., to Gravelly Point, Va.
F. H. Stuckey, Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif., to Cp Gordon Johnson, Fla.
L. C. Ralph, Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif., to Cp Gordon Johnson, Fla.
J. A. Cox, Ft. McPherson, Ga., to Cp J. T. Robinson, Ark.
W. J. Henry, New Albany, Ind., to Ft. Knox, Ky.
C. G. Conrad, Brooklyn, N. Y., to Camp Gordon Johnson, Fla.
B. S. Goodwin, Ft. Jackson, S. C., to 4th Sv C, WDPC, Ft. McPherson, Ga.
J. B. Lucius, Ft. MacArthur, Calif., to ASF Tug Center, Ft. Lewis, Wash.
H. A. Love, Washington, D. C., to Sub Mine Depot, Ft. Monroe, Va.
C. F. Kreeger, Alexandria, Va., to Hq EDC, Governors Island, N. Y.
E. J. Rhodes, Brooklyn, N. Y., to 2d Inf Div., Camp Swift, Tex.
R. A. Freeman, Elmira, N. Y., to 9th Sv C, Camp Beale, Calif.
C. T. Anderson, Ft. Knox, Ky., to 5th Sv C, Ft. Knox, Ky.
C. R. McKensie, Long Branch, N. J., to Ft. Monmouth, N. J.
W. N. Ampach, Highland Park, Ill., to Hq 7th Sv C, Omaha, Nebr.
C. J. Martin, Douglas, Ga., to 772d MP, Philadelphia, Pa.
H. L. Purvis, Springfield, Mo., to AG Pool, Brooklyn, N. Y.
R. L. Price, El Paso, Tex., to Hq HD of Portsmouth, Camp Langdon, N. H.
T. J. Reynolds, Seattle, Wash., to AG Pool, Ft. Mason, Calif.
William C. Larson, Seattle, Wash., to AG Pool SFPE, Ft. Mason, Calif.
W. E. Ransom, Kingston, N. Y., to AG Pool, Brooklyn, N. Y.
W. A. Peters, Austin, Tex., to 9th Sv C, Camp Beale, Calif.
J. D. Patrick, Neosho, Mo., to Hq 1st Sv C, Boston, Mass.
W. B. Taylor, Army Base, Norfolk, Va., to AG Pool, Brooklyn, N. Y.
C. S. Mausby, Atlanta, Ga., to FARTC, Ft. Bragg, N. C.

WARRANT OFFICERS (J.G.)

W. H. Kauffman, Ft. Myer, Va., to 4112th AAF Base Unit, Olmstead Fld, Fla.
F. L. Farrell, Greensboro, N. C., to 463d AAF Base Unit, Gieger Fld, Wash.
E. C. Silver, Chicago, Ill., to SEPE, Ft. Mason, Calif.
T. G. Meehan, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to 2d Sv C, Governors Island, N. Y.
R. L. Raymond, Taylor, Tex., to New Orleans, La.
R. A. Baker, Taylor, Tex., to AG Pool, NOPE, New Orleans, La.
C. D. Shaw, Ft. Riley, Kans., to Hq CWS Mobile Unit, Brooksville AA Fld, Fla.
R. L. McClellan, Payson, Utah, to Robinson QM Depot, Ft. Robinson, Nebr.
J. T. Tiernan, Mason, Calif., to SEPE, Ft. Mason, Calif.
G. L. Walker, Brooklyn, N. Y., to 4th Sv C, Cp Gordon Johnson, Fla.
W. G. Tooker, Staten Island, N. Y., to 4th Sv C, Cp Gordon Johnson, Fla.
T. C. Gordon, Norfolk, Va., to NYPE, Brooklyn, N. Y.
F. J. Venters, New Orleans, La., to 9th Sv C, Cp Haan, Calif.
J. C. Painter, New Orleans, La., to ASF Reg. Sta. Hosp., Ft. Belvoir, Va.
R. A. Linneville, New Orleans, La., to 4th Sv C, Ft. McPherson, Ga.
A. L. Murphy, Brooklyn, N. Y., to Hq EDC, Governors Island, N. Y.
L. Mendelsohn, Brooklyn, N. Y., to 9th Sv C, Camp Beale, Calif.
E. E. Hower, Aberdeen Pr Gd., Md., to ASF Tug Center, Ft. Lewis, Wash.
S. R. LaFontaine, Ft. McClellan, Ala., to 4th Sv C, Ft. Jackson, S. C.
L. M. Albright, Camp Mackall, N. C., to Louisville Med Depot, Louisville, Ky.
R. G. Brooke, St. George, Utah, to 701st MP Bn., Ft. Belvoir, Va.
M. C. Frank, Seattle, Wash., to AG Pool, Ft. Mason, Calif.
H. W. Gordon, Tacoma, Wash., to 95th Engr Const Bn., Ft. Lewis, Wash.
W. N. Hemby, Charleston, S. C., to Hq 2d Sv C, Governors Island, N. Y.

RETIRED

Col. R. B. Ennis (Lt. Col.) Inf., as Col., p.d.
1st Lt. P. G. Dudley, ANC, p.d.
Col. R. B. Harrison, Inf., upon own app.
Lt. Col. R. H. Woolsey, QMC, as Col., p.d.
Col. W. E. Durst, QMC, p.d.
Col. R. E. Anderson, (Maj.) FA, rev. to retd. status.

Maj. C. W. Westlund, Inf., upon own app.
Col. F. E. Edgecomb, CAC, as Col., p.d.
1st Lt. J. T. Henderson, ANC.
1st Lt. L. M. Brown, ANC.
1st Lt. E. R. U. Wright, ANC.
Col. A. J. French, CAC.
Col. B. Y. Read, AGD.
Col. P. W. Halsey, Inf.
Lt. Col. E. John, Inf.
1st Lt. M. E. Dubols, ANC.
1st Lt. L. A. Bettoney, ANC.
Col. W. A. Gance (Inf.) GSC, rev. to retd. status.

1st Lt. R. B. Straw, ANC.
Col. B. S. Wampler, Inf.
Col. F. W. Makinney (Lt. Col.) Cav., as Col., p.d.
1st Lt. E. B. Warg, ANC.

RESIGNED

Maj. D. H. Kauffman, (1st Lt.) AC.
Capt. L. J. Olson (1st Lt.) MC.
Lt. Col. H. Sawyer, (1st Lt.) Inf., GSC.
Lt. Col. R. A. Osborn, Jr., (1st Lt.) AC.
Lt. Col. G. A. Peck (Capt.) MC.
Maj. W. McV. Petre (1st Lt.) FA.

CHANGE OF NAME

Capt. Frank C. Gouldburg, AC, to Frank C. Gould.
Capt. Elsie Mildred Sykora, WAC, to Elsie Sykora Van Nostrand.
1st Lt. Joseph Borkowski, Cav, to Joseph C. Bork.
1st Lt. Vincent B. Cohen, AC, to Vincent B. Cohen.
1st Lt. Julius Cukerstein, FA, to Julius Cooper.
1st Lt. Frank Herman Dolansky, FA, to Frank Herman Dolan.
1st Lt. Mary I. Judson, WAC, to Mary Judson Isbell.
1st Lt. Bettie Catherine Lombardi, WAC, to Bettie Catherine Hawley.
2nd Lt. Flora E. Bauer, ANC, to Flora Bauer Bosshardt.
2nd Lt. Edith A. Holt, ANC, to Edith Holt Tyler.
2nd Lt. Josephine J. Regan, WAC, to Josephine Regan Hagge.
Maj. Jay Clarke Bloom, AC, to Jay Clarke VanBloom.

Maj. Theodore Wanzlak, AC, to Theodore Wansley.

Capt. Alda Neddle Goldenthal, ANC, to Alda Neddle Berkman.
Capt. Emile R. Jacob, AC, to Emile Rene Jardine.
Capt. Mary Frances Schafer, ANC, to Mary Frances Schafer Clague.
1st Lt. Mark Marcus Anich, TC, to Michael M. Anich.
1st Lt. Marguerite F. Comella, ANC, to Marguerite Anne Fason.
1st Lt. Madeline M. Dollicker, ANC, to Madeline M. McCreary.
1st Lt. Nancy Fairbank, PT, to Nancy F. Hanflin.
1st Lt. Vera M. Haffly, TC, (WAC), to Vera Haffly Harlan.
1st Lt. Moses Milton Hopkins, Jr., AC, to Milton Moss Hopkins, Jr.
1st Lt. Henry J. Zukowski, FA, to Henry J. Randall.
2nd Lt. Mary Ella Harris, ANC, to Mary Ella Thornton.
2nd Lt. Hannah N. Hogan, ANC, to Hannah Hogan Redwing.
2nd Lt. Lorraine G. Kotnour, ANC, to Lorraine Kotnour Johnson.
2nd Lt. Charles L. Krttil, CMP, to Charles L. Carroll.
2nd Lt. Julia E. Massie, ANC, to Julia M. Moore.
2nd Lt. Goldie M. Moore, PT, to Goldie Moore Shaw.
2nd Lt. Leonard John Daniel Pleuch, AC, to Leonard John Daniel Parker.
2nd Lt. Margaret M. Schoenamsgruber, MDPT, to Margaret Marie Gruber.
WOJG Max Antonofsky, USA, to Max Anton.

ENLISTED MEN RETIRED

1st Sgt. C. H. Anderson, TC.
M.Sgt. W. E. Hill, DEML, p.d. as 2nd Lt.
M.Sgt. D. J. Corcoran.
T.Sgt. F. Keeton, Inf.
1st Sgt. C. W. Klein.
M.Sgt. J. Carich, Cav.
M.Sgt. E. M. Adams, AAF.
M.Sgt. H. C. Brown, MD.
1st Sgt. C. Wall, AAF.
S.Sgt. S. R. Dickerson, Inf.
Cpl. A. Nester, CMP.
M.Sgt. G. S. Dooley.

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Robert E. Robinson, Jr., to Assistant Naval Attache Research, London.

Captains

Joseph W. Adams, Jr., to Commanding Officer, USS Arthur Middleton.
Robert J. Archer, to Nearest ND pending assignment.
Lyle O. Armel, (D), NR, to Florida Group, 16th Fleet.
Robert E. Baker, NC, to Hospital, St. Albans.
Leonard W. Bailey, to Naval Shipyard, New York.
Clarence J. Ballreich, to 12th ND, San Francisco.
Edwin F. Barker, (SC), to Central Navy Disbursing Office, 11th ND, San Diego.
Charles H. Bitner, (MC), to Fleet Hospital No. 114.
Horace R. Boone, (Ret.) (MC), to relieved active duty.
James P. Bowles, (MC), to Shipyard, Norfolk.
John H. Butts, (MC), NR, to Separation Center, Shoemaker.
Charles L. Carpenter, to Commanding Officer, USS Hocking.
Edward B. Cary, (CEC), NR, to Bureau Yards Docks.
Joseph E. Chapman, to Commanding Officer, USS General George M. Randall.
Robert S. Chew, (Ret.), (SC), to relieved active duty.
Asa G. Churchill, (MCVG), NR, to Hospital, Shoemaker.
Mark W. Clay, (SC), to Air Force, Pacific Fleet.
Daniel N. Cone, Jr., to Nearest ND pending assignment.
Clifford T. Corbin, to Fleet Activities, Kocosula.
Elwin F. Cuts, to 1st ND, Boston.
Louis P. Davis, (Ret.), to relieved active duty.
Percy W. Dreifus, (Ret.) (MC), to relieved active duty.

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George J. Dufek, to Bu Pers, pending assignment.
Charles D. Edmunds, to ND pending assignment.
Arthur T. Emerson, (Ret.), to relieved active duty.
Paul A. E. Flux, (Ret.), (CEC), to Officer in Charge, Contract Activities Davisville.
William L. Harmon, to Nearest ND pending assignment.
Frederick L. Hetter, (SC), to Supply Officer Staff—Air Force, Atlantic Fleet.
Allen Hobbs, to Nearest ND, pending assignment.
Richard C. Hollyday, (CEC), NR, to Bureau of Yards Docks.
Roy C. Hudson, to Chief Staff Aide—Commander, Battleships-Cruisers, Pacific Fleet.
Peter E. Huth, (MC), NR, to Hospital, Charleston.
Samuel G. Kelly, to Staff—Commander in Chief, Pacific Fleet.
Edward C. Kenney, (MC), to Nearest ND, pending assignment.
Fitzhugh Lee, to Office Public Information.
Lamar Lee, Jr., (SC), NR, to Office Assistant Secretary (Material Division).
Robert F. Martin, to San Diego, 19th Fleet, San Diego.
Dominic L. Mattie, to Training Center, San Francisco, pending assignment.
Warren H. McClain, to Commander, Destroyer Division 92.
Cecll G. McKinney, (DE), NR, to Commanding Officer, USS Pancatuck.
Earle C. Metz, (Ret.), to relieved active duty.
Earl H. Major, (S), NR, to Chief Staff—Naval Base, Boston.
John F. Newman, Jr., to Chief Staff Officer, New York Group, Bayonne.
Arthur D. Parker, (MCS), NR, to Hospital, Key West.
Edwin C. Parsons, (D), NR, to Florida Group, 16th Fleet, Green Cove Springs.
Herbert E. Regan, to Commanding Officer, USS Franklin D. Roosevelt.
Henry E. Richter, to Bu Pers, pending assignment.
John T. Smith, (MC), to Naval Air Station, Pensacola.
Lowell T. Stone, to Bu Pers, temporary duty.
Clarence L. Winscott, to Deputy Chief Military Government Officer, Okinawa.
Burrill D. Wood, 8(E), NR, to Hospital, Bethesda.
William L. Wright, to Bu Pers, pending assignment.

Commanders

Charles V. Allen, (D), NR, to Commanding Officer, USS Gandy.
Payson B. Ayres, MC-V(8), NR, to Hospital, Brooklyn.
William C. Ball, CD, NR, to Repair Base, San Diego.
Max I. Black, (Ret.), to Naval Air Base, 11th ND, San Diego.
John G. Blanche, Jr., to Training Center, San Francisco.
Warner W. Bayley, (Ret.), to relieved active duty.
Everett M. Block, to nearest Fleet Air Command, pending assignment.
George C. Bosson, (DM), NR, to Nearest ND.
Theodore H. Brittan, to Engineer Officer, USS Midway.
Ernest F. Collins, (SC), NR, to Officer in Charge, Disposal Office, Hartford.
William J. Collum, Jr., to Executive Officer, USS Frontier.
Ray Davis, to Executive Officer, USS Ranger.
Saverio A. De Yoanna, MC(S), NR, to relieved active duty.
Edward V. Dockneiler, to Bu Chips, Navy Dept. pending assignment.
Theodore C. Fauntz, (SC), to Bureau Supplies Accounts.
Francis O. Fletcher, to Commanding Officer, USS New.
Albert B. Furer, to Engineering Division, Bureau of Aeronautics.
Noel A. M. Gayler, to Office of Research and Inventions.
John P. Graff, (Ret.), to relieved active duty.
Harry A. Gusman, (MC), NR, to Separation (Please turn to Next Page)

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Unappropriated Funds

The War Department revealed this week that a board was appointed by Secretary Patterson on 19 Dec. 1945 to advise regarding the disposition of excess non-appropriated funds accumulated during the war through various activities such as the Army Exchange Service and the Army Motion Picture Service, Officers' and enlisted men's clubs, The Army Emergency Relief and Army Air Forces Aid Society.

The Board held its first formal meeting 9 Jan. in the office of Under Secretary Royall. Members are Mr. Clifton A. Woodruff, former Congressman from Virginia, chairman; Mr. George Roberts, lawyer of New York City; Mr. Robert M. Hanes, banker of Winston-Salem, N. C.; Mr. F. H. Osborn, New York City, (formerly Maj. Gen.) and Mr. Edward P. Curtis, Rochester, N. Y. (formerly Maj. Gen.).

There is strong belief in the Service that these funds should be made available to the relief societies for the benefit of service personnel and their families.

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Gen. Lovett to U. S.

Brig. Gen. Lester S. Ostrander has assumed new duties as Adjutant General, U. S. Forces, European Theater. General Ostrander goes to the Theater from the War Department where he had headed the Adjutant General Publication Division since March 1945.

General Ostrander replaces Brig. Gen. R. B. Lovett who has taken up a new post at the War Department.

Chichi Jima—Evacuation of Japanese military personnel from the Bonin Islands by Japanese ships is proceeding rapidly.

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FINANCE

Financial Digest

With President Truman's budget message expected to call for expenditures of approximately \$38 billion for the fiscal year of 1947, with a Federal deficit amounting to \$8 billion, Treasury receipts are expected to reach \$30 billion predicated on a national income of from \$100 billion to \$120 billion.

The present forecast is that the drop in outlays will be brought about by a drive for economy affecting practically every Government agency. Forecasts in some quarters predict a cash balance of the budget within two years if the sale of war plants and surplus disposal is expedited.

While efforts to balance the budget with speed will be widely approved for its general strengthening effect upon business, the question has also been raised as to whether the sharp reduction anticipated in Government spending may not have an economic deflationary trend. Anticipated Federal expenditures for the year ending 30 June 1947, will be around \$62 billion below the \$100.4 billion for the fiscal year of 1945.

It is believed that the ratio of consumer spending to income is reverting to the normal prewar level. The Federal Reserve Board has reported that individuals during 1944 saved \$39.9 billion, which was 29 per cent of their disposable income of \$137.5 billion. A prewar ratio arrived at from 1936-1940 figures was nine per cent. If this had been operative in 1944 savings would have amounted to \$12.3 billion. Estimated from the same figures consumer spending would have been increased by \$27.6 billion. Thus, comparing this last figure with the estimated \$19 billion drop in Federal spending after the first six months of 1945 the importance of liberalization of the savings-to-income ratio as a deflation corrective is apparent.

The condition statement of weekly reporting member banks in 101 leading cities, the Federal Reserve Board reports, shows the following principal changes for the week ended 2 Jan.:

A decrease of \$867 million in holdings of Treasury notes; an increase of \$774 million in holdings of Treasury certificates of indebtedness; a decrease of \$490 million in demand deposits adjusted; increases of \$559 million in United States government deposits and \$395 million in deposits credited to domestic banks, and a decrease of \$219 million in borrowings. Borrowing declined \$178 million in New York City and \$219 million at all reporting member banks.

A school for training native medical practitioners and native nurses to serve in the Pacific Islands occupied by American forces has been opened at Guam by the Navy.

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MERCHANT MARINE

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Expressing the "thanks of the nation", President Harry S. Truman this week accepted, effective 15 January, the resignation of Vice Admiral Emory S. Land, Chairman of the United States Maritime Commission and War Shipping Administrator, after nearly forty-eight years in the service of his country.

While it is understood that Admiral Land had requested relief from his duties as early as last May, the Administration had until the present time refused to accept his resignation. Although the White House announcement declared that Admiral Land will retire into private life, reports persist that he will accept an executive post with the Air Transport Association. These reports, however, are as yet unconfirmed.

In his latest request for retirement Admiral Land declared that he had served thirty-nine years in the United States Navy and nearly nine years on the United States Maritime Commission, eight of which he served as its Chairman. He told the President that he had done his bit; that new blood is desirable; that a younger man should take on the chores and that most of the major jobs, particularly war jobs, are practically finished; others, he said, are in hand as far as practicable.

He concluded by stating simply: "I am war-weary."

In his reply to Admiral Land's request, President Truman extended the thanks of the nation to the retiring executive and declared that he (Land) was entitled to a rest. The President at the same time expressed a desire to him to again become active in a field which would give scope to his "superb talents."

The President said that the Admiral's job had been "colossal," since he had to provide shipping space adequate to support military operation all over the face of the earth.

At the same time it was announced that Vice Adm. Howard L. Vickery also resigned last week as Vice Chairman of the Maritime Commission and War Shipping Administration.

Under Admiral Land, it was Admiral Vickery who worked out the major portion of the construction planning and programming. Admiral Vickery has been responsible for many of the newer and faster designs of American merchant vessels, and was considered by shipbuilders generally during the war as the king-pin of the nation's construction program.

Admiral Vickery was largely responsible for establishing and maintaining the spirit of rivalry between the nation's shipyards during the ship production years of World War II. He was responsible for the creation of the Maritime Commission "M" pennant for outstanding performance and other awards designed to keep the nation's shipbuilders on their toes and thus bring to a successful conclusion the mightiest ship construction program the world has ever seen.

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Center, Lido Beach, Long Island.
Samuel L. Henke, (MC), NR, to Hospital, Long Beach.
Carl W. Heywood, to Commanding Officer, Air Transport Utility Squadron 1.
Paul W. Holstein, Jr., (CEC), NR, to Officer Charge, Activities Tacoma.
Karl E. Jung, to Executive Officer, USS Hornet.
Donald F. Kelly, (CEC), to Administrative Command, Great Lakes.
Charles M. Keyes, to Commanding Officer, USS Taussig.
Victor A. King, to Assistant Ship Superintendent, San Pedro.
Harold W. Kishpaugh, (MC), NR, to Hospital, Great Lakes.
Albert T. Lomay, (MC), NR, to Chartered Transport Pool, Pacific.
Clifford W. Lewis, (MC), NR, to Hospital, Camp Lejeune.
Joseph I. Manning, to ND pending assignment.
Hans O. Matthiesen, (DM), NR, to Commanding Officer, USS Fort Marion.
Gerald H. McAtee, (MC), to Naval Dispensary.
Howard P. McAuliffe, (DM), NR, to Commanding Officer, USS Benewah.
Fred E. McEntire, Jr., to Bureau of Ordnance.
Charles G. McIlwraith, (SE3), NR, to Bu Ships.
John E. Morgan, (MC), NR, to Marine Corps Air Station, El Toro.
George R. Muse, to Executive Officer, USS Prairie.
Horace Myers, to Nearest ND pending assignment.
Peter Newman (EM), NR, to New York Group, 16th Fleet.
Guy E. O'Neill, to Commanding Officer, USS Pomodon.
George E. Pierce, to Executive Officer, USS Nerues.
Lester J. Pope, (MC), to USS Corregidor.
Robert D. Powers, S(L), NR, to District Legal Office, 5th ND, Norfolk.
Palmer W. Roberts, (CEC), NR, to Officer in Charge, Contract Activities Joliet.
Philip H. Ryan, (Ret.), to relieved active duty.
Raymond N. Sharp, to Director, Armament Test, Patuxent River.
Edward E. Shelby, to Submarine Base, Balboa.
Wallace A. Serrill, to Executive Officer, USS Sicily.
George L. Street, to Naval Operations.
Ernest S. Tharpe, (SC), to Nearest ND pending assignment.
Troy N. Thweatt, to Naval Air Training Bases, Corpus Christi.
Raymond J. Tower, (D), NR, Bu Pers.
William W. Walker, to Bureau of Ordnance.
Jack Warren, (MC), NR, to Naval Air Station, Patuxent River.
John G. Wetzel, (GEC), NR, to Public Works Office, 3rd ND, New York.
George A. Wigglin, (SCS), NR, to Navy Market Office, Orlando.
Paul C. Williams, (A3), NR, to Executive Officer, USS Bougainville.
Robert L. Wilson, (DL), NR, to Separat'n.
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Captains
Victor F. Blakeslee, (Ret.), to Public Information, Boston.
Robert S. Brod, (DEM), NR, to Training Center, San Francisco, pending assignment.
Carlos M. Charneco, (SC), to Supply and Accounting Officer, Norfolk, Va.
Allan S. Chrisman, (MC), to Hospital, Newport.
Peter Corradi, (CEC), NR, to Public Works
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Navy Orders

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Officer, Lakehurst.
Burton Davis, to Commander, Fleet Training Group, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.
Paul L. Devos, to Western Sea Frontier.
Lewis T. Dorgan, (MC), to Nearest ND pending assignment.
Robert K. Y. Dusinberre, (MC), to Executive Officer, Hospital, Bainbridge.
Walter C. Espach, (MC), to District Medical Officer, 7th ND, Miami.
Allen G. Gaden, to Commanding Officer, USS Mathews.
Valery Havard, jr., to Nearest ND pending assignment.
William B. Howard, (CEC), to District Public Works Officer, 17th ND, Kodiak.
Hardy V. Hughes, (MC), to Medical Officer Command, Hospital, Coco Solo.
Henry H. Karp, (SC), to Supply Accounting Officer, Miami.
Robert R. McGregor, to Commanding Officer, USS Montague.
Walter E. Moore, to Commanding Officer, USS Columbus.
John F. Newman, jr., to Bu Pers, pending assignment.
Charles J. Rend, to Deputy Chief Naval Intelligence.
Harry A. Rochester, to Naval Operations.
Merle A. Sawyer, to Staff—Commander in Chief, Atlantic Fleet.
Herald F. Stout, to 19th Fleet, Mare Island, Calif.
Edward W. Young, to Naval Training Distribution Center, San Francisco.

Commanders

Charles V. Allen, (D), NR, to Bremerton Group, 19th Fleet, Bremerton, Wash.
Roland J. Brown, (MC), NR, to Separation.
John H. Brownfield, to Commanding Officer, USS Towner.
Richard H. Crane, to Duty on Staff—Commander, Submarine Squadron 2.
William T. Doyle, jr., to Commanding Officer, USS Antheodion.
William M. Drane, to Commanding Officer, Air Station, Olathe.
Frank W. Evans, jr., (A), NR, to Bureau of Aeronautics, Navy Dept.
Arthur F. Farwell, jr., to Fleet Air, West Coast, San Diego, pending assignment.
William M. Fowler, (DC), to Bu Med.
Lawrence C. French, to Naval Air Station, Miami, Fla.
Elmore G. Genthner, (DM), NR, to Nearest ND duty connection separation.
Frank W. Lammell, (MC), NR, to USS Neshoba.
George L. Hansen, to Commanding Officer, USS New York.
John W. Hess, S(C2), NR, to Separation.
Winkle D. Hoover, (MC), NR, to Naval Air Station, Glenview.
Everett P. Kirch, (MC), to Naval Medical Supply Depot, Brooklyn.
William L. Kitch, to Executive Officer, USS Geneva.
William H. Lawrence, to Executive Officer, Receiving Station, Washington.
Thomas L. Little, (A), NR, to 1st ND, Boston, pending assignment.
Arthur R. Quinn, to Service Force, Atlantic Fleet, Norfolk.
D. Risser, to Naval Ordnance Laboratory, Washington.
Allen M. Shinn, to Staff—Commander, 5th Fleet.
Charles A. Thorwall, (DM), NR, to Training Center, San Francisco, pending assignment.
Raymond W. Vogel, jr., to Commander, Carrier Air Group.

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Admirals

Walter S. Delany, (RADm.), to Commander, Battleships-Cruisers, Pacific Fleet.
Donald B. Duncan, (RADm.), to Chief Staff Aide—Commander in Chief Pacific Fleet.
John E. Gingrich, (RADm.), to Assistant Chief of Naval Personnel, Navy Dept.
Carl F. Holden, (RADm.), to Commander, Training Command, Atlantic Fleet, Norfolk.
James L. Holloway, jr., (RADm.), to Assistant Chief Naval Personnel.
Herbert G. Hopwood, (RADm.), to Assistant Chief Naval Operations.
Pelix L. Johnson, (RADm.), to Assistant Chief of Naval Personnel.

Commodores

Robert F. Batchelder, (Commo.) (SC), to Assistant to the Chief of the Material Division, Navy Dept.—additional duty.

Captains

Milton H. Anderson, (S), NR, to Fleet Activities, Yokosuka.
Charles Banish, (EM), NR, to 19th Fleet.
Joe W. Boulware, to Bu Pers—temporary duty.
Henry A. N. Bruckshaw, (MC), to Medical Dept., San Diego.
Gordon L. Caswell, to Naval Operations.
Frederick Ceres, (MC), to Nearest ND pending assignment.
Harry M. Deringer, (Ret.), to relieved active duty.
William A. Epstein, (MC), to Naval Training and Distribution Center, San Francisco.
Einar R. Johnson, to 9th ND, Great Lakes, pending assignment.
Arnold R. Kline, to Supply Officer, Guam Island.
James C. Landstreet, to Commanding Of-

Officer, USS Bayfield.

Horatio A. Lincoln, to Office Public Information.
David W. Lyon, jr., (MC), to Naval Hospital, Corona.
Ernest C. May, (S), NR, to Philippine Sea Frontier.
Louis D. McGregor, jr., to Inspector Recruiting Induction, 8th Joint Service Induction Area, Dallas.
William W. Meek, to relieved active duty.
Floyd J. Nuber, to Service Squadron 10—pending assignment.
Ulysses S. Sharp, jr., to Nearest ND pending assignment.
Ralph C. Smith, (MCS), NR, to Nearest ND pending assignment.
John A. Snackenber, to Naval Operations.
Carroll L. Syler, to Commander, Transport Division 13.
Herbert W. Underwood, (Ret.), to relieved active duty.

Commanders

Charles R. Anderson, S(EM), NR, to relieved active duty.
Polke Becker, (SC), NR, to Naval Hospital, St. Albans.
William G. Brown, to Training Center, San Francisco, pending assignment.
Howard G. Bruenn, MC(S), NR, to Separation.
Paul S. Burt, jr., to Office Assistant Secretary Navy.
Harold W. Butzine, (CEC), NR, to Berthing Area, Tongue Point, Oregon.
Charles S. Cameron, jr., (MC), NR, to Hospital, Brooklyn.
Vernon W. H. Campbell, (MC), to Army-Navy Medical Procurement Office, New York.
John J. Cassidy, jr., (CEC), to Bureau of Yards and Docks.
William B. Clapp, (MC), NR, to Separation Center, Shoemaker.
Cornelius T. Cross, DC(S), NR, to orders home.
Norman E. Fryer, jr., to Commander, LSM Squadron 7.
Joseph A. Gallant, MC(S), NR, to Naval Hospital, San Francisco.
Emmanuel T. Goyette, to Commanding Officer, USS Carlisle.
Thomas C. Green, to Commanding Officer, USS Chipola.
Frank B. Hoselton, (C), NR, to Amphibious Group 1.
William L. Hunter, (MC), to USS Antietam, CV 36.
Hayes E. Irons, to Office Secretary Navy (Material Division).
Frederick W. Laing, to Nearest ND pending assignment.
William G. Langston, (MC), to Training Center, Port Hueneme.
Frank Marcucella, (CEC), NR, to Public Works Department, 1st ND, Boston.
Thomas O. McCarthy, to Material Laboratory, Naval Base, New York.

Commanders

George G. Molumphy, to Staff—Commander, Submarine Squadron 10.
William T. Powell, jr., Training Center, San Francisco, Calif., pending assignment.
Irving S. Presler, to Nearest ND pending assignment.
Karl A. Reed, (MC), NR, to Hospital, Mare Island.
Andrew C. Renz, (MC), NR, to Air Station, Vero Beach.
Orme C. Robbins, to Submarine Base, Balboa.
Arthur C. Smith, to Bu Ships.
Kerfoot B. Smith, to Naval Operations.
John H. Thels, to Executive Officer, USS General William Mitchell.
Paul C. Williams, to Executive Officer, USS Tulagi.
Burriss D. Wood, jr., to Training Center, San Francisco, Calif., pending assignment.
Frank A. Zimansky, to USS Washington.

Investigate Blue Discharges

A special committee of the House Committee on Military Affairs revealed this week, through Representative Carl T. Durham (N.C.), its chairman, that it has for months past been considering ways of eliminating abuses in connection with the so-called "blue discharges" issued by the Army, and is preparing a report for submission to Congress immediately upon its reconvening.

There have been many complaints in connection with blue discharges, not the least of which are that thousands of discharged soldiers have been deprived of their rights under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944. Only a court martial can order a dishonorable discharge but blue discharges are ordered by boards of officers without judicial proceedings.

Gen. Wainwright to 4th Army

General Jonathan M. Wainwright has been named commanding general of the Fourth Army, with headquarters at Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

General Wainwright is being relieved of his assignment as commanding general of Governors Island, N. Y., and upon expiration of his present leave will go to his new assignment.

Navy Promotions

The following temporary promotions of officers of the Regular Navy were made this week:

Comdr. (Ret.) to Capt. (Ret.)	K. A. Knowles
C. B. Brook	Lt. Comdr. to Comdr.
H. J. Vanpeenen	Lt. to Lt. Comdr.
W. E. Bartle	C. Bradley
L. Vautrot	H. Cook
D. A. Yetter	G. A. Hammerstein
R. L. Humston	C. L. Johnson
W. B. Hevener	E. O. Bonnell
E. Cash	B. Groundwater
L. G. Brooks	B. A. Prickett
M. M. May	Lt. (Jg) to Lt.
C. C. Butts	J. Curran
G. E. Pund	C. A. Dotterlich
A. P. Ayres	A. R. Miller
G. M. Peck	Ch. Mach. to Lt. (Jg)
	Bosn. to Lt. (Jg)
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APC to Lt. (Jg)	J. J. Edwards
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Ch. Mach. to Ens.	B. C. Decorsey
F. H. Wofford	A. L. Lucas
Bosn. to Ens.	G. L. Kilcrease, Jr.
Gunner to Ch. Gunner	W. L. Elliott
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Adm. King's Report
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The Navy's antisubmarine campaign with the British-United States integrated convoy system was in great part responsible for the vital shipping necessary for the Allied land offensive which broke into the Fortress of Europe in 1944 and overwhelmed the Germans ashore in 1945.

Tenth Fleet

On 15 June 1945 the Tenth Fleet was dissolved. This effective organization was established 20 May 1943 under my direct command, with Headquarters in the Navy Department, to exercise unity of control over United States antisubmarine operations in that part of the Atlantic Ocean under United States strategic control. The first Chief of Staff of the Tenth Fleet was Rear Admiral Francis S. Low, who was relieved in January 1945 by Rear Admiral A. R. McCann.

To the Tenth Fleet were assigned the following tasks:

- (a) Destruction of enemy submarines.
 - (b) Protection of Allied shipping in the Eastern, Gulf, and Caribbean Sea Frontiers.
 - (c) Support of other antisubmarine forces of our own and of the other Allied nations operating in the Atlantic areas.
 - (d) Exercise of control of convoys and shipping that were United States responsibilities.
 - (e) Correlation of United States antisubmarine training and materiel development.
- To accomplish these tasks the Tenth Fleet was organized into four principal divisions: Operations, Antisubmarine Measures (materiel, training, analysis and statistics, and operational research); Convoy and Routing; and a Scientific Council composed of distinguished civilian scientists.

The Tenth was a fleet without a ship. However, this highly specialized command coordinated and directed our naval forces in the Battle of the Atlantic, making available the latest intelligence to the Commander in Chief, U. S. Atlantic Fleet, and to other fleet and sea frontier commanders who directed the actual operations at sea, and supplying antisubmarine training and operating procedures to our forces afloat. The Tenth Fleet correlated the antisubmarine developments of the various technical bureaus of the Navy Department and the fleet training schools concerned with antisubmarine activities. In addition, it worked closely with the General Staff of the United States Army and with the British Admiralty and Canadian Naval Headquarters to avoid duplication and confusion, and to insure that maximum effort would be directed against the German underwater fleet. The effective work of the Tenth Fleet contributed outstandingly to the success of the United States naval operations in the Battle of the Atlantic.

U. S. Naval Forces in Europe

During the spring and summer of 1945 the United States Naval Forces in Europe were faced with a series of varied responsibilities. Until the surrender of Germany the Navy was actively engaged in coastal offensive operations and in supporting afloat the United States Army's build-up of men and supplies, which included assistance in areas as far inland as the Rhine; with the capitulation of the enemy came the establishment of United States naval commands in Germany to aid in the military occupation and government of that country and in the enforcement of the surrender terms. United States naval components also assumed duties with the Allied Military Missions to Denmark and Norway similar to those already established in France, Belgium and Holland. With the end of the war in Europe, the Navy speeded up the process of closing out the multitude of bases and other facilities which had been established earlier in the war in the United Kingdom, on the Continent, and in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations.

Rhine River Crossing

The crossing of the Rhine River in March 1945 will be remembered as one of the spectacular achievements of the American forces during the closing months of the European war. In this operation the United States Navy had the honor of taking part as a floating segment of General of the Army Eisenhower's forces. LCVP's and LCM's, which had been used with great success in the coastal Normandy invasion, were again employed to carry our troops on rivers. The naval crews assigned to the operation began training in England in October 1944 and held their final practice maneuvers on the Continent later in the winter. Considerable ingenuity and improvisation were necessary to overcome technical difficulties, the craft employed having been constructed for salt water use and not as river craft in the fresh water of the swift-flowing Rhine. Five LCVP units of 24 craft each were formed in England and later moved to the Continent and placed under the operational control of United States Army commanders and administrative control of Vice Admiral Alan G. Kirk, Commander, U. S. Naval Forces, France; of these, three actually participated in the crossings.

The first LCVP unit went into action with the United States First Army at the Remagen bridgehead on 11 March 1945, assisting, under heavy gunfire, in the erection of trestleway

U. S. COAST GUARD

THE 327-foot cutters Spencer and Campbell arrived at San Diego, Calif., last week and are being ordered to proceed to New York for reconversion. The 327-foot cutter Ingham is bound for New York direct from Pearl Harbor via Balboa, Canal Zone, and is expected to arrive early this month. The 327-foot cutter Bibb departed San Diego for Norfolk on 20 Dec.

Lightship 54 has been surveyed and will be retired from service as soon as a replacement vessel can be made available. This vessel, now a relief, was for many years station ship for the Boston Lightship Station. She was built in 1892.

The Coast Guard is requesting applications from Regular and Reserve commissioned officers for assignment to domestic Merchant Marine Hearing Units and to foreign Merchant Marine Details.

It is intended that officers applying for this duty under provisions of the request will be assigned to temporary duty at the Merchant Marine Hearing Unit in New York for a period of training and indoctrination prior to permanent assignment.

At a recent meeting with the Inter-Territorial Military Committee called to discuss the transportation of the remains of American dead from the European and Pacific Theatres of War, it was decided

and heavy pontoon bridges, in ferrying troops, and in patrolling the river. At Oppenheim on 23 March another LCVP unit carried portions of General Patton's Third Army across the Rhine, and the following day made a second crossing under heavy enemy fire at Boppard. Another crossing had been planned at St. Goar, but because of enemy resistance the operation was staged instead at Oberwesel, where, on 26 March, other units of the Third Army were ferried across. Still another crossing was made at Mainz. The LCVP units also served with the United States Ninth Army in its crossing of the Rhine south of Wesel, which occurred almost simultaneously with the Third Army's advance.

U. S. Naval Forces France

A second major operation in which the United States Navy played an important part during the last days of Nazi resistance was that directed against the German-held pockets in western France. Vice Admiral Kirk was placed in operational command of the French naval task force which was assembled for the attack. The United States Navy supplied fuel, training facilities, a repair unit, aircraft, and 24 LCVP's. The operation, which was directed against the enemy forces in the Ile d'Oleron and at the mouth of the Gironde River, began with a general naval bombardment at 0730 on 15 April. For five days the naval task force assisted the French ground forces with naval bombardment and aerial reconnaissance in the assault on Royan and the Point de Grave area at the mouth of the Gironde. By 20 April this section was cleared of the enemy and the assault on the Ile d'Oleron began the following day. Twenty-four United States LCVP's manned by French crews were used and supported by extensive naval bombardment. The actual landings on Ile d'Oleron took place on 30 April and all enemy resistance ceased there on 2 May. With the general capitulation of the enemy on 8 May, the remaining German pockets at La Rochelle, Lorient, St. Nazaire, etc., were occupied by French forces accompanied by American naval observers.

While the Rhine crossings and the attacks on the German pockets were going on, the Navy was continuing its less publicized but equally important task of assisting the Army's build-up of troops and materiel through its port operations, both along the English Channel and in the southern French ports. Men and munitions poured onto the Continent through Marseilles, Toulon, Cherbourg, Le Havre and Rouen. At the great port of Antwerp alone almost 20,000 tons of supplies were unloaded daily.

From the United States Navy's airfield at Dunkeswell in Devon, patrol planes of Fleet Air Wing Seven maintained a constant search of shipping lanes for enemy submarines. When a surrender of Germany came on 8 May, the German High Command was ordered to instruct its U-boats at sea to surface, radio their position, jettison their ammunition, fly a black flag and proceed by fixed routes to prescribed ports. The first U-boat to comply with this order surrendered on 9 May to a PB4Y-1 plane of Fleet Air Wing Seven on patrol off Lands End, England.

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The last Japanese prisoners of war remaining in the United States were shipped out of the country 9 Jan.

that the responsibility for the movement would rest with the Army and that the cost could be met by means of a special appropriation to be requested by the Army for all the Armed Services.

The Coast Guard would be expected to provide escorts at redistribution centers in this country as may be necessary. Because of the small number of Coast Guard personnel involved, no escort pool will be established.

A series of recruiting transcripts of one to one and a half minutes duration have been transcribed on records for use at radio stations throughout the country. These transcripts outline the duties of the Coast Guard and the benefits of enlisting in the Service.

Several Coast Guard officers recently witnessed the trial flight of the XPBM-5A which is an amphibian version of the Martin Mariner. All of the witnesses were much impressed by the field take-offs and landings. No water work was done because of undesirable weather conditions.

The DCGO, 3 MD has been requested to assign one 110-foot rescue vessel, now laid up in the 3ND, to the Research and Development Field Testing Detachment, Coast Guard Yard, for temporary duty pending acceptance of the SC-665 which is scheduled for permanent assignment to the Detachment.

Problem of Joint Pay Study

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Congress satisfy members of the Senate Appropriations Committee that the additional pay is needed and that there will be adequate safeguards to prevent abuses. Without such assurance, they feel, members such as Senator Overton and Senator McKellar who attempted to curtail flight pay last session, will hold up the entire program.

However, there are many Congressmen strongly in favor of the extra pay system. For example, Senator Hill of Alabama, member of the Senate Military Committee, told the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL this week that "Present flight pay should be continued because of the hazards of peace-time flying and the cost of insurance. There may be some abuses but the pay should be continued. A good case can be made out for over-all increases in Service pay."

Navy Medical School

Arguing that creation of a U. S. Naval Medical School would not be for the best interests of the Navy, and that it could not supply its war-time needs, the Navy Department has informed Congress of its objection to H. R. 3924.

The Department also opposed H. R. 3923 providing for the establishment of a U. S. Navy Training School for Nurses.

The Navy Department advanced the idea that "Should Congress be committed to the principle of increasing enrollments in medical schools by subsidizing the education of Medical Corps candidates, it is suggested that a plan similar to the V-12 Naval Reserve Program be adopted."

USMC Foreign Duty Policy

Regular and reserve Marine Corps personnel wishing to transfer to commissioned status in the regular Marine Corps, will be considered eligible for return to the United States if they have completed thirty-six months of duty overseas during their last forty-eight months of service.

Such personnel who are serving overseas and are eligible for return to the United States, will receive equal consideration with others who are eligible for return for discharge or release with regard to the needs of the service and the availability of transportation.

Criticize Courts Martial

The House Military Committee, it is understood, will shortly issue a report recommending changes in the Army's system of courts martial. The committee investigators, it is said, believe that the system should be altered to give the defendants, particularly enlisted personnel, greater safeguards.

Production for Navy
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interlocking and successive production programs is the history of the Naval warfare.

In 1940, as war loomed closer and closer, the major problem of production was the establishment and acquisition of the physical means of production—that is, industrial facilities. Not only was it necessary to create, or expand, the industrial facilities at which the Navy could engage in its own production, but, perhaps more important and certainly more complex, it was necessary for the Navy to create and expand industrial facilities for the use of private industry. The problems were as enormous as they were urgent, for obviously the means to produce materiel is a condition precedent to the production of materiel. Shipyards, decayed and in disuse, were tremendously expanded and revived. Huge plants sprang up where there had been only corn a few months earlier. In the five-year period beginning 1 July, 1940, Navy commitments for industrial facilities totaled over three billion dollars—\$1,660,858,000 for shipbuilding and repair facilities; \$848,936,000 for ordnance manufacturing facilities, and \$693,240,000 for aircraft manufacturing facilities. And, of course, these facilities were soon translated into vital materiel the dollar value of which was many times that of the facilities.

The facilities program was carried out simultaneously, with and as a phase of, the total Navy procurement program, whose size dwarfed that of any procurement program in the Navy's history. The first major expansion in Navy war procurement planning was in the summer of 1940. Upon the fall of France and the Low Countries, the Congress passed legislation doubling the authorized strength of the Fleet. After 7 December, 1941, the procurement tempo skyrocketed. Thus, for the fiscal year 1940, the Navy Department obligated appropriations totaling just over a billion dollars; two years later, the obligations reached over 23 billion dollars.

This enormous increase in quantity was reflected in the vastness of the procurement problems which required urgent solution.

Just as the facilities program, procurement planning, and the priorities programs were integral and necessary parts of the over-all production of war materiel for the Navy, so was the inspection program. Inspection is too often overlooked because it is easily taken for granted. But it is obvious that facilities, contract expenditures, and priority allocations are all useless unless there is assurance that the ultimate object of all this—the finished product at the right place and time—is of the quality needed by the Navy.

And finally, playing a greater and more vital part in every phase of production and in every phase of war greater than ever before in history was the role of research.

And this is what science and research did in World War II. Many of the great and most dramatic developments of this war were only ideas, scarcely yet reaching the drafting tables, in 1941. Electronics, the proximity fuse, rockets, the atomic bomb—each made an incalculable contribution to victory. The important part played by scientists and technicians, both those in the Navy and those outside, cannot be exaggerated. We shall do well always to recall that research is the cornerstone of our nation's effectiveness in war as well as in peace. The tendency to depreciate the importance of research must be avoided. So must complacency, particularly in respect of the atomic bomb and the length of time we can keep it an unshared secret.

And so, too, we must avoid the orthodox thinking which so often comes in peacetime and which discourages daring and imaginative research. We must remember that the future weapons which may mean the future life of this nation may, at present, be no more than a thought in the mind of some obscure scientist. He must be encouraged; and we must listen to him respectfully, if we are to survive.

The U. S. Navy has reduced by nearly 50 per cent the number of its personnel based ashore in the Pacific Ocean.